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two gatling guns and much ammunition. The rebels have opened a telegraphic communication with Durango and Gomez Palacio, a suburb of Torreon, and are operating the railroad to Jimenez and Chihuahua.

General Bravo, the federal commander at Torreon, while proceeding southward with a portion of the Torreon garrison in an endeavor to open communication was attacked by rebels at Icardias. The result of the fight is not known.

The British vice consul at Gomez Palacio has requested permission from the government to assist his countrymen to leave the town, which many of them desire to do on the strength of President Wilson's advice to Americans to get out of the republic.

Rosales Discouraged.

Vera Cruz, Sept. 12.—On board the Ward line steamer Mexico, which sailed yesterday for Tampico, Havana and New York, was the constitutional governor of the state of Hidalgo, Pedro Rosales. Senor Rosales had been summoned to Mexico City and told to ask for leave of absence in order that he might be substituted by a military governor. He said he explained to President Huerta that he had been legally elected to office and asked time to think over the proposition made to him. He is one of the richest men in his state.

The fact that Senor Rosales had come to Vera Cruz and taken passage on a steamer did not avail.

While here he told an intimate friend he was not a revolutionist, but feared he might be forced into the rebel ranks. He also said that the Mexican government in his opinion would be financially embarrassed as soon as the 12,000,000 peso loan is exhausted.

Bordes Mangel, of the chamber of deputies, who was reported to have been killed by federal soldiers last month near Atzacotlan, is said to be in Vera Cruz in hiding, awaiting an opportunity to escape to Havana. Mangel was a warm personal friend of the late President Madero.

Mexican Woman Arrested.

New York, Sept. 12.—Alice Maude Muller Sanchez of Mexico City, a comely woman about 30 years old, was arrested in Brooklyn by special agents of the United States department of justice as she stepped from the gang plank of the steamer Esperanza, which arrived tonight from Mexican ports. She is charged with embezzlement by the Mexican government, which for months has been looking for her, according to the officials who made the arrest. The young woman was booked on the steamer as "Ida Munger" and denied that she is Senora Sanchez. The embezzlement with which she is charged was committed in Mexico City, but the nature of it is not known.

Senora Sanchez has with her seven trunks. She was born in the United States, but has lived in Mexico seventeen years. She is being held for hearing before a United States commissioner.

The Philippine bureau of agriculture has begun a thorough study of the banana, botanically and commercially, and has collected banana plants from all over the world.

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"As far as I'm concerned," he said, "I'm not going to be a party to any of the pitfalls they think they have dug for any of those who undertake to obtain a fair trial of this case."

Before adjourning court until afternoon, Judge Brown said he would like to have decisions on the disqualifications of county and district attorneys when court reconvened.

Decides to Select Jury.

"I don't want to appear the least bit arbitrary," said Judge Brown, when court opened, "but I'm getting no nearer the light now than I was fifteen minutes after we started."

"There are just as good men as God ever let live that believe both ways about this and I'm going to let each side put on six more witnesses. So you'd just as well start picking your six."

"At 2 o'clock I'm going to start what I believe to be the real test in this motion. I'm going to start getting a jury. I will reserve my decision on the motion to await the result of that test."

Upon conclusion of the venue testimony Judge Brown announced that he would go into the selection of a jury. He said:

"If we cannot get thirty-two men qualified to try the case then I will take it upon myself to order a change without acting upon the motion of anyone. Mr. sheriff, bring in the jury."

Senator Lattimore intercepted with objections and the position of County Attorney John Baskin in reference to the case was put before the court as a ground for transferring.

"I will be frank to say," said Judge Brown, "that is the only thing in this case that puzzles the court."

Senator Lattimore said:

"It has been testified here that the county attorney believes Dr. Norris guilty. If that be true, and it was testified to by good reliable men and the court has witnessed the constant statement of attorneys for the defense that this case is being carried on by private prosecutors, men employed to do this, the court can see that it will be practically impossible to prevent the same matter getting before the petit jury."

It will be a matter of regret to private prosecutors to have it get to the jury, but we cannot conceive if it is put into the jury box but that it would be exceedingly unfortunate for the state, as the jurors in any case ought to have confidence in the judgment of the county attorney."

Duty to Prosecute.

"And it is his duty to follow up the case and prosecute," interposed McLean.

"No," said Lattimore, "he does not have to do that at all."

"It is a serious matter," continued Lattimore, "and the case ought to be tried where the prosecuting attorney is not so situated that he has been compelled to make up his mind. Good men come in and say that they can lay aside their opinions. It is rare that that occurs. If we are required to go into the selection of a jury men will come in and qualify who ought not to qualify."

Baskin Gives Position.

John Baskin addressed the court, saying:

"Speaking for the county attorney's office, we believe, myself and my deputies, that we are in exactly the same position as every member of the array of counsel, representing both sides of the case. If these young men are guilty of this offense without some motive, there is some power behind the throne. This courthouse is the place of truth. The people want the truth. Let's try it where the people are suffering for the truth."

"I do believe there is a guilty party. I never asked a jury to convict and never will unless I think the defendant is guilty."

Judge Brown—You mean you have your mind made up thoroughly?

Baskin—There might be others involved. Now let the truth fall. I want the truth, every line of testimony against them. Of course my mind may be poisoned as to the grand jury excluding me, but I want the truth.

Judge Brown—What attitude are you going into it with?

Wants Only the Truth.

Baskin—I am going into it with all the testimony in my possession and hunt for the truth and will let it administer the punishment if the

testimony is insufficient?

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testimony shows the defendants guilty of any offense.

Lattimore—In view of the statement of County Attorney Baskin, and I want to say that I believe Mr. Baskin will do his best, and though he believes that another person is guilty, he would try to do it, if the defense is trying to prove the person burned it whom I believe Mr. Baskin believes guilty, what sort of an attitude would he be in?

Baskin—Their statement as to Dr. Norris cuts no figure for they all agree that these boys, if they did it, didn't do it for nothing.

Judge Brown—You have neither prejudice nor bias toward these defendants?

Baskin—Not at all.

Senator Odell then turned to Baskin and asked what his attitude would be toward Lavender, stating that Lavender would likely be the principal witness upon whom the prosecution would rely. Baskin replied that it was always the duty of the state to present its evidence and the court would tell the jury that it was the exclusive judge of it.

"We have reference to immunity if he tells the truth," said Cummings.

"If any man will tell the truth about this thing, I'll dismiss his case," returned Baskin.

Believes Norris Burned Church.

"Is it not your belief that Norris burned the church?" asked Odell.

"That is my candid judgment now," replied Baskin.

"The state is represented by special counsel that hold different views," said Cummings.

"I couldn't co-operate," said Odell, "where there was such a difference among counsel on opposite sides seeking the same result."

Cummings asked permission to present authorities on the change of venue.

"Do you think because the county attorney is disqualified it is the law that there shall be change of venue?" asked McLean.

Odell—Is it not your opinion that the evidence on which the grand jury presented is insufficient?

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"Wouldn't he disqualify himself as a witness?"

"He might not."

"I thought you said he was a good man."

Weatherford's wife and two children were in court with him during the afternoon session.

The defense excepted to the change of venue. There is considerable difference of opinion as to whether they can insist upon the higher court ruling upon this before going to trial in Weatherford county or can appeal on it only after trial in case of conviction.

Judge Brown said he made the change to Weatherford as a county in which none of the attorneys was connected and because a trial could be had there earliest.

The trial there, it is said, can be held September 22 before Judge F. O. McKenzie.

\$400 SILVERWARE IS STOLEN

Fort Worth Residence Entered During the Day Through a Window.

Fort Worth, Sept. 12.—Table silver valued at \$400 was stolen by a burglar, who forced an entrance to C. A. O'Keefe's residence, 520 Summit avenue, through a library window early today.

The family knew nothing of the robbery until a negro maid entered the dining room to prepare the table for breakfast. An oak chest in which the silver was kept also was taken.

Fifty solid silver souvenir spoons, representing practically all civilized countries and prized far beyond their intrinsic value, were among the stolen goods.

The list included several dozen spoons, knives and forks. The silver is all marked with "O.K." on the handles.

No clew was found by Detective Sergeant Allgood, who investigated. It is believed that the burglary was committed by the same man who stole silver valued at \$100 from Noah Harding's residence, 1201 Summit avenue, early Saturday morning. Entrance to the Harding residence was also effected through a window.

President Confers With Colonel House

Springfield, Mass., Sept. 12.—President Wilson passed through here this morning to the summer White House at Cornish, N. H. The trip was reminiscent of campaign days, for not only did the president ride in the private car "Federal," from which he made most of his back platform speeches, but he was accompanied by Secretary McAdoo of the treasury department, Secretary Tumulty and Dudley Field Malone, third assistant secretary of state, all of whom were Mr. Wilson's traveling companions in pre-election days.

Messrs. McAdoo, Tumulty and Malone left the president's train at New Haven and continued to Beverly, Mass., where they will confer today with Col. E. M. House, intimate friend of President Wilson.

The will talk over the Boston collection and two other federal appointments in Massachusetts. Some of the Massachusetts leaders have been urging that federal appointments be deferred until after the gubernatorial election so as to avoid the possibility of factional strain in the democratic ranks. The president probably will decide this when he gets back to Washington.

SULLIVAN NOT FOUND.

Report That He Was on Brother's Farm Unfounded.

New York, Sept. 12.—Representative Timothy D. Sullivan, who disappeared from his brother's home at Williams Bridge, September 1, still was missing today. Reports that he was in a sanitarium at Brewster, N. Y., under the care of a physician, were declared by a physician today to be unfounded.

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NEW YORK PLANS PUBLIC OBSEQUIES

Tentative Arrangements Made to Honor Dead Mayor in City—Services Are to Be Held in the Old Trinity Church.

New York, Sept. 11.—While all New York mourned today for William J. Gaynor and signal honors were being paid the dead mayor in Liverpool, where his body was taken ashore from the steamer Baltic on which he died suddenly at sea on Wednesday, tentative arrangements were being made for the public obsequies planned to constitute a final and striking tribute to the late mayor to the memory of his late executive hand.

Mayor Gaynor's funeral will take place in Old Trinity church in Lower Broadway at 11 a. m. Monday, September 22, with Bishop Greer of the New York diocese of the Protestant Episcopal church officiating. His body will be interred in Greenwood cemetery in Brooklyn.

The solemn ceremonies on the day of the funeral are to be preceded by various distinctive tributes to the dead executive. On the arrival, probably next Friday afternoon, of the steamer Lusitania, the mayor's body will be taken directly from the steamer to the Gaynor home in Brooklyn, there to remain until Saturday evening, when it will be removed to the city hall in Manhattan to lie in state on the scene of the late mayor's activities until the hour of his funeral on Monday.

The coffin will be borne from the city hall to the hearse and from hearse to church on the shoulders of uniformed men of the fire and police departments. General Thomas F. Barry, the commander of the activities until the hour of the funeral on Monday.

Should Bishop Greer, who is in Maine, be unable to officiate at the service, his place will be taken by Suffragan Bishop Birch. Assisting will be the Rev. Dr. Frank Page of Culpepper, Va., formerly pastor of St. John's church in Brooklyn, of which

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WANTS PARDOONS GRANTED

Chaplain at Marion Convict Farm Works for Release on Mexican Independence Day.

Austin, Sept. 12.—Eight Mexican convicts, some of whom have been in the penitentiary for more than twenty years, have been recommended for pardon by the board of pardons through the efforts of Father Chastillon, chaplain of the Marion convict farm. These pardons were among those advocated by the legislative investigating committee. Father Chastillon who has been here today stated that he hoped to have the men released on September 15, Mexican independence day.

Wants Republican National Convention

Washington, Sept. 12.—Senators Jones and Cummins of the progressive republican committee who are urging a national convention of the republican party this fall, decided today to write a letter to Chairman Hill of the republican national committee, urging that a committee meeting be called soon.

The progressive republicans had determined to go to New York to see Mr. Hill, but changed their plans.

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Current Events

In Woman's Sphere

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KATE FRIEND, Editor

RELATIVES ARE ARRIVING FOR WALLER S. BAKER

Already relatives are arriving to be present when the remains of the late Waller S. Baker are laid to rest. And may it be said that one of the nieces, in saying good-bye when Mr. and Mrs. Baker left for their now distressing trip, said: "Uncle Waller, when will you be home?" "When the rain comes, baby," was his reply. How well he measured his time, for the rain came almost the same moment as the sad news. Mrs. Mary Lu Tinsley has come from Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Pinckney Pogue are in from their country home. Mr. and Mrs. Terry Baker of Timpson, and Mr. and Mrs. Hadley Roberts of Albany, these are all with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Horne, Mr. and Mrs. U. E. Roberts of Stamford, are with Dr. and Mrs. Mark Baker.

MRS. A. H. NEWMAN FOR THE ART LEAGUE

As chairman for the art department of the Cotton Palace, Mrs. A. H. Newman reports a very encouraging outlook. She is receiving ready response from artists who have previously exhibited in the Cotton Palace, and new ones are being added to the collection. The art league, whom Mrs. Newman represents, is lending every aid. A new feature will be added with the Mesdames J. W. Hale and Charles L. Vinton in charge. This will be a collection of prints suitable for school rooms. This addition is quite to be accepted, since it will be of untold interest and advantage of the teachers and children from the rural schools. Within the coming week Mrs. Newman is leaving for Kansas City. She will be on the outlook for Cotton Palace interest during this absence.

A SOUTH SIDE SURPRISE INVADERS THE NORTH SIDE

Among recent changes in residence has been that of Mrs. Paisley, who has removed from the South Side to a North Eleventh street cottage. As evidence of their lingering pleasure in her company, a party of former neighbors planned a surprise, and they planned it beautifully. Mrs. A. C. Austerhulsh was really at the helm. It was she who provided a contest to amuse the guests after the hostess had overcome her surprise and received greeting. This contest matched clever lines to advertisements. The unlucky thirteen had been selected, and the prize winner located ten. Mrs. J. B. Carey and Miss Paisley took prizes were drawn in favor of Miss Paisley. Her trophy was a silver toothpick holder. The low record was made by Mrs. Z. O. Laws. Refreshments were brought out, surprise though it was. This was quite a happy hour both to Mrs. Paisley and to her guests.

A PERSONAL GREETING FROM MRS. R. L. HENRY

Since the interest among home friends concerning the marriage of Miss Lella May Henry, nothing has come from Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Henry until greeted in Waco by Mr. and Mrs. Skyles, Virginia, which Mrs. Henry reports the very summit of the Blue Ridge. She writes that she, with the young son, is spending her summer among the clouds, and at times above them. They have a quaint little rustic cabin nestled on the mountain side, where open fires have been the order of comfort. Although drinking in the pure air and cool breath of the forest primeval, Mrs. Henry reports all modern conveniences in contrast to the towering peaks and frowning cliffs in all their grandeur of native possession. Other guests are there to enjoy this wild bit of mountain whose every turn presents a beautiful view down in the Shenandoah valley. Mrs. Henry has enjoyed a most resourceful host, and plenty of the good time. She reads the Morning News daily and says this keeping in such minute touch with the home friends has gladdened many of her summer hours.

HOW TO HANG PICTURES; THESE REQUIRE METHOD

It is not everything to drive a tack and hang on it the wire for a picture. First of all, pictures should hang on a level with the eye in order that full value in tone and color may be obtained. If the picture is large, it possible give it wall space by itself. Try to give a balance to your wall. Do not put more on one side than the other, lest you create the effect of a heaviness the weight of which overbalances the free space on the other side. If a picture is hung on the right of the piano or the mantel, try to place one to balance it on the left side. Group your pictures so that they will have some relation to each other. The space between each one in a group should be equal to the width of one picture. Always hang your pictures at two heights, and never let the wire form a triangle at the top of the frame. Photographs of family and friends should never appear in parlor or drawing room, and very sparingly in the living room. The private sitting room and the bed room is the place for these. Portraits of eminent persons or of historic value should be placed in the formal room, for they carry their own atmosphere of dignity. Landscapes are more appropriate for a dining room. Always preserve an appropriate tone between picture and wall. Travel scenes are placed in the hall. This is only enough of suggestion to show that the placing of even one picture requires thought.

THE FIRST CARDS ARRIVE FROM MRS. FLORA CAMERON

The post of Friday brought the first cards and letters from the Mesdames Flora Cameron and Edward Bolton. These had crossed the gulf stream and were hugging into heavy coats; they had sighted historic Plymouth and were steering onward to their port of landing, Bremen. At Plymouth they doubtless leveled their field glasses at "The Shoe," Plymouth's park where sat the venturesome Drake for a last glass, also before starting his cruise to circumnavigate the globe. Another turn of the glass brought into view from the steamer deck a commanding home, the Edgecomb estate. It was this which the commander of the great Spanish Armada saw, and about which he remarked that, just as soon as he whipped Queen Elizabeth's navy, he would take that home for his home. But, alas! who did the whipping, and what became of the invincible Armada. While Mrs. Cameron penned her card, Master Edward Bolton delivered the ship paper, The Gazette, which contained the news on land, owing to the Marconi wireless. Mrs. Bolton reported a pleasant journey upon two cards which bore the portrait of the Kaiser Wilhelm the Second upon which their passage was being made. On one was the printed program for the day's concert by the steamer orchestra. The party in going went straight from Bremen to Berlin, and from there made plans for the month's outing. They arrive in America with the second week in October.

MISS MARCELINE FLANIGAN HONORED BY HER CLUB

Since their president, and a favorite member, was to leave the ranks of girlhood as well as the home where her girlhood years had been passed, the Beau Nots as a club tendered Miss Marceline Flanigan a very pretty reception during Thursday afternoon. Although not yet debutantes, this club has given several beautiful parties, so an invitation to a Beau Not affair brings expectation of something quite up to the new manner of entertaining. However, for this afternoon plans all went awry. Invitations had been extended for a last of the season garden party, but a first of the season rain changed all plans at the last moment. But the Beau Nots are resourceful and it took but the moment to have an indoor reception. A pretty reception it was, too. The invitation list included young girls, a few young matrons and the mothers of the Beau Nots. Music was provided, and a punch brewed to accompany the sandwich service. Flowers were unusually plentiful for this late season. The pink LaFrance was set in state in the parlor where the Beau Nots were in line. Mrs. J. T. Flanigan received with her daughter here. The reception hall gave patronage to a bride in its dress of white and green, the ever graceful Jack bean appearing on its own stem with leaves. The Mesdames T. E. Hubby and Ralph McLendon were matrons of this spot. In the punch room the Mesdames James Terry and J. M. Kink dipped, assisted by the Misses Mary Gorman, Virginia Rose and Mildred Freund. The matrons were the Mesdames J. C. Lattimore, R. B. Spencer and M. C. H. Park. By special invitation there also received the Mesdames W. D. Lacy, T. Jeff Smith, Slim Lewis and Albert Clifton, with the Misses Lacy. The patron flower of the punch room was the American Beauty, basketed in a California weave. The reception stick repeated this color. The Mesdames were uproarious, but one would never have so conceived had the interior sight of the W. D. Lacy home, with its full attendance and animated chatter, been the criterion. Many claimed their privilege for a last word with Miss Flanigan. Other social courtesies are to be paid her, but none with so general a guest list.

Society Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Arthur Johnson have arrived from Europe and the latter from a summer visit to relatives in the east. They are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wells on North Fourteenth until more permanent plans mature.

Miss Marian Mullens of Fort Worth is now the guest in the Clarendon, the first to receive the hospitality of Mrs. Webb's beautiful new home on Provident Heights.

Keep away from freak things, furniture as well as dress. Really an improvement in the home is a room rather a nightmare to the person with an eye for the fitness of things. That same davenport might set to great advantage a large hall. Why not study to suit pieces to conditions? That is true taste.

Throw a kiss to the good old summer time, for it is passing fast.

How many have resolved to do something about the home to make ready for the Cotton Palace guests? Remember these guests are critical, and these guests are coming to see what Waco is and how she lives as well as to see what she has to show at the Palace. First of all, let us pull down the debris left from the spring vines. And suppose we burn those rather than throw them out to make more trash for the alley man. Burn, burn, and then burn some more, is a good motto for any home.

Mrs. William Flournoy of Franklin street has been called again to Mississippi by serious illness in her family. She left very suddenly on Friday for an indefinite absence.

Mrs. Sam Sparks of Austin is with Mrs. William Misrot at Highland for a few days. Mrs. Sparks is more than delighted to be in the home of Miss Bertha Jones, who spent several seasons of her school days here with her aunt, Mrs. C. T. Alexander.

Mrs. G. B. Foscoe and Mrs. F. C. McConnell, two valued members of the Number 12 club, are moving from their extended absence, Circle Number Nine, Mrs. J. C. Lattimore chairman, arranged an especially pleasing order of exercise for the Friday afternoon session. This closed with a social hour in compliment to Mrs. Foscoe, who is president of the society, and Mrs. McConnell.

Owing to delay in receiving her baggage through the customs house, Mrs. N. E. Boggess did not arrive as she expected. She and Woodfin Boggess will positively be home today.

Already a card excitement is planning, something after the manner of the brilliant bridge matinees of midwinter. This will come with early October.

Miss Vesta Cooper of Temple is spending a few days with Mrs. Cullen Cooper on West Washington. Miss Cooper is possessed of a very pleasing high soprano voice. She has been invited to sing at the Sunday morning services of the Auburn Avenue Methodist church, and has consented. Mr. and Mrs. Cooper had Miss Cooper as their guest for the Huaco club dinner last night.

Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Randle report a most delightful sojourn in New Jersey. Having their own car they are touring to all the seaside resorts. At the same time enjoying a home visit to Mrs. Randle's mother. No date for the return home is so far mentioned.

The incoming of Mrs. J. M. and Mrs. Trantham with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Collier on Speight street. They await the building of their new South Side home.

Friday brought mail from Mrs. John D. Mayfield which bore the Bremen postmark. By this time Mr. and Mrs. Mayfield with the Misses Mayfield have crossed the channel and perhaps are through with their sightseeing in England.

With the return from California of



Fall Clothes for Well Clad Men

Men and Young Men, look! These fellows might step right out of this picture and shake your hand—they look so real. The clothes as pictured are the clothes you have in mind as being what you would like to have for Fall. No matter whether you want a Business Suit, College Suit or something for a Sunday "Parade," we have just what you require in the excellent collection of BENJAMIN, L. SYSTEM, PECK and STERN models.

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We are showing the cleverest line of Fall Hats ever seen in Waco. Both stiff and soft styles will be popular for Fall and Winter.

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THE "NO NAME" HAT

ATTACK ON CURRENCY

REPUBLICANS MAKE VIGOROUS ONSLAUGHT IN DEBATES IN HOUSE.

Hardwick, Democrat, Says Are Defects in Bill, but Will Stand by His Party.

COLORADO RIVER ON A RISE

Threatens Damage to Work in River Bed at Austin—Drift is Heavy.

Austin, Sept. 12.—Progress of the currency bill through the debating stage in the house was marked today by vigorous attacks upon the way the measure was prepared by the majority and by a defense from Representative Hardwick of Georgia, who, although he declared the bill far from perfect and pointed out what he considered its defects, announced that in spite of all its faults he expected to abide by the judgment of his party and vote for its passage.

Speech making continued throughout the day and into a night session, with most of the orators addressing a handful of members.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE.

By virtue of an order of the district court of the United States for the Western district of Texas, I will on the 13th of September, 1913, during legal hours, at the Stribling store on Eighteenth street, in the city of Waco, sell at auction for cash, the stock of groceries amounting to about \$2,100, belonging to the estate of J. H. Stribling, bankrupt, also two horses and two wagons, which I am authorized to sell, either at public or private sale, will be offered for sale at the same time. Said sales being subject to the approval of the court. Inventory may be seen at my office at Waco, Texas. J. R. WEBB, Trustee.

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Interchange Track.

Austin, Sept. 12.—The railroad commission today gave notice of a hearing on October 14 upon the proposed adoption of an order requiring the Katy and Santa Fe railroads to maintain and operate at Garland, Dallas county, a connecting or interchange track.

Aviator Killed.

Muenster, Ger., Sept. 12.—Aviator Hans Lorenz was killed today as he was completing a two hours' flight. He steered the machine too steeply in a downward direction and the wings buckled, the aeroplane falling to the ground. The gasoline tank exploded and the pilot's body was partly burned before the fire could be extinguished.

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BOARD OF REGENTS TO MEET

University Heads Believe Illegal to Run on Unexpended Portions of Appropriations.

Austin, Sept. 12.—A meeting of the board of regents of the University of Texas will be held in this city on September 20. Notice of the meeting was received today by Secretary Matthews from President Clarence Osley.

The board of regents of the university are of the opinion that it will be illegal for the university to attempt to run during the second year on unexpended portions of the appropriation for the first year. They have opinions, they state, from able lawyers, that the legality of such procedure might be questioned, although the attorney general's department has ruled to the contrary on the matter.

The regents also believe it will not be legal to operate during the second year on deficiency warrants Governor Colquitt will be requested to meet with the board and disseminate any information if he has any of his plan for providing funds for the university during the second year.

HUNNICUTT STUDIO OPEN.

Mrs. Gertrude Mills Hunnicutt, teacher of voice, piano, and sight reading, graduate of Cincinnati Conservatory of Music, pupil of Oscar Sonner, New York, opened her studio at 615 N. 18th street for the fall term September 1st with a number of enthusiastic pupils. Capable assistance makes it possible for Mrs. Hunnicutt to teach a greater number of pupils than last year. Each pupil will be under the personal instruction of Mrs. Hunnicutt. The best hours are given to those coming first. History of Music, Sight Reading, Harmony and Chorus Work are class advantages to be had in this studio. Being in better voice than for two seasons, Mrs. Hunnicutt will be available for solo work after September 15th. Both telephones.

End Straw Hats.

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Lois Smith.

Lois, the 8-months-old baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith, died yesterday morning at the home of the parents, 910 South Fifteenth street. The funeral will take place this morning at 10 o'clock and the burial will be in Greenwood cemetery.

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GAYNOR'S DEATH AND NEW YORK'S MAYORALTY.

New York City will do only what it should do in paying honor to its late mayor, Judge William Jay Gaynor, by a great funeral and a memorial to his service. He was a strong public official, he was honest and in his insistence on honest, conscientious service through the several branches of civic employment, as far as he could oversee and enforce this, it may be said he stood somewhat above his predecessors in the mayorality of the metropolis.

"Mayor Gaynor's career has been not only distinguished, but in all it is unique. We have lost in him not only one of the most fearless but one of the most original and interesting of all our public servants, national and local." This was the tribute of Col. Roosevelt at once after the news of Gaynor's passing. It is a veracious summary. Gaynor was unique, and in characteristics unique after a fashion that is not beyond comparison with Roosevelt's manner in office and out of office or, in lesser degree, comparable with the characteristics of our present vice-president, Mr. Marshall. That is, the late mayor spoke his mind fearlessly on many matters of public concern and popular interest, from municipal systems to religion. Most often, his utterances were strong; frequently his spoken views provoked political enmity or press derision and sometimes he was widely mistaken in his position, according to the popular notion—but he spoke out fearlessly none the less. The dispatch concerning his death, from New York, chose this quotation from these utterances and it is striking indication of the man's nature and of his practical view of the administration of an office carrying patronage second only to that of the presidency: "I never quarreled with the organization leaders because I was too busy. I simply went on and did my work from day to day and I kept my hands out of the public treasury."

This was one of the ways in which Gaynor showed he knew his New York, knew it politically especially. He was not of the sort we commonly, and often mistakenly, term "reformers." But he did work reforms in the conduct of city offices, notably in the all-important matter of tracking the expenditure of public funds for the people he served. In all fearlessness was Justice Gaynor's distinguishing trait—he made his own career fearlessly, while he made himself; he was fearless in his several combats with the political "powers of darkness" on Manhattan; Republicans and Independent Democrats of New York, seeking a fearless judge, put him on the supreme court bench. And when he resigned as justice to accept the nomination for mayor, it was generally considered his election was certain. He had made a splendid record. His death is greatly a loss to clean government forces in New York City politics. It is likely he gave up his life in this service, as the result of attempted murder three years ago by an insane city employee whom he had dismissed.

John Purroy Mitchell, fusion nominee for mayor, declined to head the independence league's ticket and James A. Allen is the league's nominee for the mayorality. The death of Gaynor puts New York's mayorality race in rather a remarkable muddle. He was very strong with the people. It was generally considered by New York's press, at the time Gaynor sailed for Europe, that neither Mr. Mitchell nor Mr. McCall, Tammany's candidate, would get anything like the vote either would poll like Gaynor not seeking re-election. It was estimated Gaynor would draw heavily from both—probably more heavily from Mitchell. Newspapers not politically friendly to

Gaynor had nothing to say in detracting of his administration record.

Now the result is wholly uncertain, though at first glance Mitchell would seem to have the best showing. Apart from the personal qualifications of the three candidates, it must be noted that there is a strong, all-classes determination in New York City to keep Tammany out of city hall. We think the Sulzer business will, if anything, lessen Tammany's power in the city for this mayoralty crisis. Mitchell's record as a member of the board of estimate is good. His rivals have a deal less to offer by way of claims to this powerful office. But actual survey of the campaign situation, as to any's chance for election, must in our opinion await the decision of they who were strongly entrenched behind Gaynor's record and candidacy, and were confident of victory on that record, as to whether they will name a leading Gaynor adherent in the late mayor's stead.

IN EDUCATION THE BEST IS CHEAPEST.

The cost of a modern medical education, per student, to the institution giving the instruction, is greater than the total amount of fees the student pays. In other words, a modern, up-to-date medical school actually loses money on each student. This apparently impossible situation is shown in the annual educational number of The Journal of the American Medical Association. Another apparently contradictory statement is that a good medical education does not cost any more than a poor one. In the Journal the 106 existing medical colleges have been grouped according to the amount of fees charged and according to their classification by the Council on Medical Education in Classes A, B and C. Twenty-three colleges charge fees of \$100 or less per year, sixty-five between \$100 and \$175, and eighteen charge above \$175. Of the twenty-three colleges charging \$100 or less, twelve, or over half, were listed among Class A (acceptable) colleges by the Council on Medical Education, five were among Class B colleges, and only six of them are found among the Class C colleges.

Sixteen colleges listed in Class C charge fees of from \$100 to \$175 per year for each student. Diplomas from Class C colleges are not reported as recognized by twenty-four State licensing boards. It is a question, therefore, why a student should spend his time and money in a low-grade college the diplomas of which are not recognized in many States, when in the same time and with even less money he can attend one of the best-equipped colleges the diplomas of which are recognized in all States. Although fifty colleges listed in Class A charge fees ranging from \$150 to \$275 per year for each student, the actual expense for teaching students in these colleges is far greater than the revenue derived from the tuition fees.

POLITICAL PIFFLE.

We find ourselves regretting somewhat that the Washington purveyors of political information and affairs considered the speech of Mr. Sidney Anderson, a Republican representative from Minnesota, worthy as much note as they gave it Thursday in their dispatches. Mr. Anderson's speech was on the floor of the house; it conveyed his resignation as a member of the ways and means committee. The Associated Press's writer termed the speech the climax of the vigorous Republican condemnation of Democratic legislative methods that has marked the currency debate. Which means the Republicans for weeks have realized how thoroughly determined were their opponents' majority to effect the Democratic program. Mr. Anderson "bitterly assailed" legislation through caucus action and partisan consideration of the tariff and currency measures in committees, and inveighed that "the system of legislation established here" made his efforts on the ways and means committee "a farce and a fraud."

We cannot find, as Mr. Anderson affects to find, that the way the Democratic majority put through the tariff bill and will put through the currency bill in either house, is an injury to the nation or an unfairness to the Republican lawmakers. Nor can we reach such a conclusion, as to national injury or congress detriment, concerning the Minnesota's resignation from the big committee. We noticed a like situation some weeks ago when a Republican senator or two produced "vigorous" denunciation of the finance committee's dealings with the amendments to the tariff bill submitted by Chairman Simmons and other Democratic members, and denunciation of our party's senate caucus. It was a part of the minority's playing the political game before the people, nothing more. And our view was that it was one of the most absurd features of their game since Mr. Wilson called this social session. Only, Mr. Anderson apparently cannot play the game, politically or other-

wise. We recalled for how many years Democrats in either house could be little more than figureheads on the important committees, or in the house or chamber, under rigid Republican rule, majority and caucus—the last especially was rigid—insofar as concerned their ability to sway the voting on bills proposed by the majority and considered by the Democrats as insular legislation. The people have not forgotten the congressional situation of some fifteen years; the strict Republican control that began with Reed—some measure of fairness with him—that took on new arbitrariness with Henderson and became gag rule under too many years of Cannon.

The Democrats knew full well, after the returns from November 5 assured they had a powerful majority, that the opposition in both houses would take the form of party talk, denunciation. Their course was fixed, their president and their leaders determined, their measures worked out for the most part; certainly nothing the Republicans could say in committees and on the floor would swerve them from their plans—especially when their chiefest policy had to do with a reversal of the Republican record of inactivity and broken pledges for a score of years. So why waste time?

The Republicans have done their share of talking—put across much more than their due of invective. Their ways, their desires, their political program were not the plan of the majority.

Mr. Anderson's talk is of the baby variety.

Coincident with this note, there should appear the details of the proposition to our city commission by Mr. George W. Stough, of Kansas City, and his associates for a franchise to supply Waco with natural gas from the Mexia field. A part of the announcement of Mr. Stough's second meeting with the commission was to the effect that Mayor Mackey has been impressed favorably with "the earnestness and business-like character of the representations made by Mr. Stough as to the financial standing of the men behind the enterprise." The whole city must hope its mayor's impressions will be justified and have fruition in a substantial, favorable offer to Waco. Whatever shall be the final proposal of Mr. Stough to the commission, we are assured it will be given most careful thought and discussion; and it is good to know the views this newspaper has expressed in the past six months and more, as to Waco's need of a natural gas supply, are quite the present views of the mayor and commissioners. With their earnest co-operation, either in the present situation or as to further propositions of this nature, the city may hope for favorable determination of this important matter.

The Waco Morning News is much gratified with the response to its invitation for the taxpayers to discuss the question of a new city hall. Regardless of the determination of this proposal, it is deserving of all the interest and thought shown in the communications published in these columns. The views are from men whose work and words always have been closely connected with the best interests of Waco, and doubtless they carry much weight with the city fathers. There is no question of the city's need of a new municipal building; the real question is, whether the time has arrived for a bond issue for construction, on the site of the present building or further westward, of a city hall that will be creditable to Waco. In this situation, time is the important factor. These communications are of certain usefulness in guiding the commission to a conclusion as to submission to a vote on an issue of bonds. The Morning News hopes there will be further free, frank expression of the public attitude.

Considering the circumstances of Hot Springs' appeal for funds to rehabilitate the poorer part of its burned section and provide for the homeless, and the prompt representations of Mayor Mackey to this city, we consider Waco is doing all that reasonably could be expected in its contributions for this relief. The final report of Hot Springs' loss is greatly under the first estimates and if a number of Texas communities respond, proportionately to population, as Waco business men are responding, the State will give something more than due share.

The Rotarians feasted under conditions infinitely more adverse than those under which they work, but carried out their barbecue program with the same vim that characterizes their plans for benefiting their own businesses and the enterprises of others in Waco. The early record of the young Waco company of this organization that has taken strong hold in so many American cities, is noteworthy and we think its career will bear watching. Its meetings are always well attended and the discussions thereat are marked by the spirit of

helpfulness for the city's business concerns. Such an organization, if it utilizes fully the opportunities to do good in a business way that must come to men of its members' standing in the world of trade, can become a factor of real worth in the life of Waco and receive popular support of projects of the character of its plan to assist business already established and deserving of local co-operation.

Not alone in Masonic circles of the State, but among the people of Waco and McLennan county generally is regret expressed for the death of Mr. Clarence R. Phillips. For some thirty years he made his home in this county, attaining prominence in its politics and enjoying the esteem and friendship of many in McGregor and Waco. The honor of two elections to be grand secretary of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter and the Grand Council of Texas is significant of the place Mr. Phillips held in the minds of they who are most concerned with the affairs of Masonry that, for Texas, centers in this city. Through this great order will be given the sympathy of these communities to his children, in their loss.

Texas Viewpoints

Promise for Sulphur Springs.

Sulphur Springs News commends to Sulphur Springs' numbers its new city editor, R. J. Clendenen, as "a gentleman and a hustler." Assured that he is also a newspaper man, we may congratulate Sulphur Springs on the prospect of getting every day's news every day.

A Kiss Vignette.

We care for these, the Corpus Christi Caller's little etched editorials, as we have remarked time and again. This is of kisses: "Kisses are pernicious, pugnacious. The least emotional one of them is lively with germs. Under the cold vision of the microscope, they appear a very Satan's gift to humanity, tintured as they are with disease. And yet—humanity continues to kiss, and to proceed with its material affairs, and the mortality rate is being reduced all the time, for which thanks are to be duly given. Think of a world deprived of its historic kisses—of its romantic kisses! (Business of thinking; of visioning; of conjuring up, as 'twere), 'Of a Cleopatra pale for fear of germs, of a Juliet refusing her Romeo, of Anna Karenina done antiseptically!' Give another think—think of a world deprived of its humorous kisses, of its hilarious kisses: of Mr. Pankhurst kissing the Pankhurst through medicated gauze; of Manuel peroxidizing his pursed Portuguese lips after a few thousand francs worth of Gaby's osculation. Think!

Alpha and Omega.

Col. Henry Ellis in Denison Herald notes that Mr. Ben Cabell, former prison commissioner, said that "politics defeated the penitentiary bill" and that our governor said, "Politics has put the State in a hole." Adds the colonel: "And it is politics that is proving a curse to the people. Is it not about time that the politicians were given a rest and let the business interests have a say for awhile? Surely matters could be made no worse." Experience with many legislatures has made Col. Ellis cautious. His conclusion is of the essence of conservatism. Doubtless he is skeptical that it were possible for Texas's politicians to let the business interests have an inning of non-interference. The brand of political peace and legislative rest the State has been given for some six years has not resulted in progressive production and liberal returns. Though expected, of course, it is good to find Col. Ellis among us—who are pleading for an era of peaceful pursuits for our State after an era of political strangulation.

Lucky Logansport.

We venture to assert the editor of the lively Pharos Reporter, of Logansport, Ind., comes across an occasional Texas exchange, for this has a familiar ring—else town boost nature is the same, the land over: "Every city in the land contains some undesirable citizens, but we venture the assertion that Logansport has as many good people in proportion to the population as any city in the country. It is a city of home owners. We have good schools, and unexcelled church accommodations. Our people are industrious and hospitable. There are only a few who have no visible means of support." That tiny word, "as," is a saving factor in newspaper boost of a town in a State like Texas where there are so many towns of about the same population, each of which has people, home owners, schools and church accommodations, industry and hospitality that are pretty near all they should be. "As good in proportion to population" saves argument, but ever and anon appears an editor who treats himself to the variety of claiming his community is the best.

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Third Quarter. Lesson 11.

Ex. 20:12-21. Sept. 14, 1913.

It is at once recognized that the principles irradiated in this singular manner are basic. They are fundamental to organized society. A commonwealth can not exist without them. They are essential to social order. In proportion to the obedience given them will be the stability of the state. In this connection the heinousness of crime is apparent. Breaking the commandments does not merely injure the immediate parties; it tends to disintegrate and subvert the whole social order. The sentimental condoning of crime and unwarrantable use of executive clemency are therefore in themselves harmful to the common weal. The immediate parties can not be divorced from the larger relation which their deeds maintain. . . . Tenth commandment: This is an immeasurable advance upon any code of antiquity. It practically anticipates Jesus' carrying of the law into the "inward part." It does not deal with the overt act, but goes back to the external deed, to the disposition of the mind.

And refer exclusively to perjured testimony in a court of justice. There is a larger court. It is public opinion. Before this assize it is possible for men to do their fellows great injustice. . . . Tenth commandment: This is an immeasurable advance upon any code of antiquity. It practically anticipates Jesus' carrying of the law into the "inward part." It does not deal with the overt act, but goes back to the external deed, to the disposition of the mind.

Young People's Devotional Service.

John 1:1-14.

Favorite Verses (IV) in the Gospels.—It is sometimes asked, "Why four Gospels?" One answer might be that the four present such an inner agreement in their representations of Jesus' person and work as to give us an image of the Master marked by completeness and harmony. That justifies the four Gospels. The texts from each which picture Jesus as the ideal of self-oblivious service for others, have always been the world's favorite texts.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR LESSON, SEPTEMBER 14.

Verses in the Gospels.—John 1:1-14.
1st Reading.—John 1:1-14.
Christ Satisfies.—John 1:37-44.
Grace and Truth.—John 1:15-18.
Regeneration.—John 3:1-8.
God's Great Love.—John 3:16-21.
Life From the Dead.—John 5:19-25.
Bread of Life.—John 6:45-57.

Topics for Discussion.

What incident in the life of Christ inspires you most?
Which of the Gospels is your favorite? Why?
What is the golden rule? Where is it given?
Which of Christ's miracles most impresses you?
Which of Christ's parables most impresses you?
Let each member give a favorite verse.

Gospel Truths.

Christ seemed to be fond of saying, "He who hath ears to hear, let him hear." Not the wisdom of all truth will avail for us unless we listen. The secret, in spiritual things, of keeping what we have is to get more. Christians are not to be gadabouts with respect to the house of God any more than with respect to the houses of men.
In saying to the men of His own day, "Ye have the poor with you always," Christ did not mean that poverty is a perpetual curse to the earth. Christianity will abolish poverty.
We do not know whether to translate it "about my Father's business" or "in my Father's house," but whenever one is about God's business he is in God's house.
There is no reason why the Marys should not find time to care for the house and the Marthas find time to learn from Jesus.
If Christ, supremely capable of judging, judged not man, how do we dare to judge any man.
If a branch cannot bear fruit except with the strength of the vine, neither can the vine bear except through the branches.

Christian Endeavor President to be Connected With T. C. C.

Hon. Patrick Henry, president of the Texas Christian Union and a member of the state legislature from Wichita district, has been selected by the trustees of the Texas Christian university of Fort Worth as principal of the college of business. The office of athletic director for the university has been created, to be held by a member of the faculty, and Mr. Henry will also serve in this capacity.
Mr. Henry will resign his seat in the legislature at the close of the present special session and assume his new duties September 16, the opening of the fall term.

The local union of all the Endeavor societies of Hutchinson, Kansas, have chosen for their president one of the city police officers and he is making good in both his offices.

Christian Endeavor Notes.

Comrades of the Quiet Hour now number 72,970.
The number enrolled in the Tenth Legion is 29,553.
The number of Endeavorers who have qualified as Christian Endeavor Experts is 1089.
The state of California leads in the number enrolled in the Tenth Legion, having now five thousand.

Making a Friendly Church.

Two Christian Endeavor reception committees, one of young men and one of young women, act at the door

of the church, after each service, in the Seventh Christian church, Indianapolis, Ind. To get past these active committees a stranger must simply be invisible. The members not only speak to strangers, but introduce them to others. This makes a friendly church.—C. E. World.

THE PLAGUE IS IN CALIFORNIA

One Death Reported—Government Appropriates \$40,000 to Fight the Disease.

Sacramento, Cal., Sept. 12.—A death from bubonic plague occurred at Martinez, Cal., according to reports received today by the State Board of Health from Dr. J. D. Long of the United States Marine hospital service in San Francisco. At the same time a message was received by the board from its secretary, Dr. W. F. Snow, now in Washington, D. C., stating that the federal government had decided to appropriate \$40,000 additional to fight the disease.

The body of the Martinez victim, whose name has been withheld, has been examined by Dr. D. H. Curry of the federal laboratory in San Francisco.

Long personally passed upon the examination by pronouncing the case one of plague.

Says Is No Plague.

San Francisco, Sept. 12.—"There is no epidemic of bubonic plague at Martinez," said Dr. J. D. Long today. "The death there was purely sporadic. We had another case like it this year in San Benito county, where a Japanese woman, a strawberry picker, died."

"Ever since bubonic plague first gained a foothold on this continent it has continued prevalent among rats and ground squirrels. The laborer at Martinez and the Japanese strawberry picker in San Benito were working in neighborhoods known to be infested with diseased squirrels. No doubt they became infected themselves from working in ground infested by squirrels."

"The campaign of exterminating the squirrels is a most tremendous task and the \$40,000 appropriation from Washington, which I understand has been made, is a result of the increased popular interest in our task."

"The appropriation was asked for long before the Martinez case was discovered."

The plague made its first appearance in San Francisco prior to the earthquake, the government first turned its attention to ridding this city of the rodent and then began a systematic campaign against the rat's country cousin, the common ground squirrel, which was found to be infected in portions of the state. Hundreds of thousands of the little animals have been slain.

Bubonic plague has never obtained a real foothold in this country, according to the government experts, and is never likely to owing to the difference between the American mode of living and conditions in oriental countries, whence it comes. All of the cases reported on this coast have been among orientals, or directly traceable to contact with them.

Santa Fe Freight Wreck.
Tempe, Tex., Sept. 12.—A freight wreck occurred on the Santa Fe railway between this city and Clifton yesterday near Valley Mills, which sent twenty-two freight cars into the ditch, piling them up and creating a blockade that was not cleared until an early hour this morning, fourteen hours after the occurrence. Passenger trains were detained at this point to the Missouri, Kansas and Texas to Waco, thence over the Texas Central to Morgan, where the main line of the Santa Fe was again picked up. The property damage was very large, but no loss of life occurred. Spreading rails is assigned as the cause of the wreck.

In France experiments with freeing fish in blocks of ice for transportation are being tried, the claim being made that they can be revived by slow thawing and sold alive.

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Washington	78	57	.578
Boston	68	64	.515
Chicago	70	68	.507
Detroit	59	76	.437
St. Louis	52	88	.371
New York	48	84	.364

Washington, Sept. 12.—With today's 6 to 1 victory over Cleveland, the fifth straight in four days, Washington climbed to within one game of Cleveland in the fight for second place in the American league pennant race. It was Johnson's second victory over Cleveland during the series. He allowed but four scattered hits, struck out seven and gave one pass. In the field he accepted all chances perfectly. Milan got four hits in four times up. Joe Jackson, Cleveland's slugging outfielder, was hurt in the fourth inning while going after one of Milan's doubles to the fence, and was replaced by Ryan. Jackson and the ball hit the fence about the same time, the ball rebounding into Leibold's hands, while Jackson crumpled up in a heap, unconscious. His condition is not considered serious.

Manager Birmingham today received notice of an indefinite suspension from President Johnson, as the result of his "run-in" with Umpire Egan yesterday. Manager Griffith was informed his suspension had been lifted and the Washington manager was out on the field today.

Score— R. H. E.
Cleveland . . . 600 100 000—1 4 1
Washington . . . 010 001 018—6 12 2
Batteries—Hanning and O'Neill; Johnson and Almsmith.

Philadelphia 7, Chicago 5.

Philadelphia, Sept. 12.—After pitching fine ball for six innings, Benz weakened in the seventh session of today's game and as his successor, Russell, was no improvement, Philadelphia defeated Chicago 7 to 5. Philadelphia used four pitchers. Plank was taken out in the first inning, Pennock in the third and Houck in the seventh. Bush twirled the last two innings.

Score— R. H. E.
Chicago . . . 201 000 200—4 11 1
Philadelphia . . . 010 000 408—7 7 3
Batteries—Benz, Russell, Lathrop and Easler; Schalk; Plank, Pennock, Houck, Bush and Thomas, Schang.

New York 10, St. Louis 3.

New York, Sept. 12.—New York made it three out of four from St. Louis today by a score of 10 to 3. The game was a pitchers' battle between Caldwell and Baumgardner until the sixth inning, when, with the score 2 to 2, the visitors' pitcher weakened and New York scored four runs. Caldwell was steady in the pitcher's box. Cree had a perfect batting average.

Score— R. H. E.
St. Louis . . . 100 010 001—3 11 0
New York . . . 100 104 048—10 12 0
Batteries—Baumgardner and McAllister; Caldwell and Sweeney.

Boston 15, Detroit 5.

Boston, Sept. 12.—Boston was at the home end of another big score today, piling up eighteen runs to 5 for Detroit. It was the second batting carnival in as many days, Detroit having won a big scoring game yesterday. The locals made twenty-one hits for a total of thirty bases today.

Score— R. H. E.
Detroit . . . 001 000 031—5 14 2
Boston . . . 200 601 048—18 21 1
Batteries—Conatston, Grover, Lorenz and McKee; Leonard and Carrigan, Thomas.

Golfers Are Ready
For Open Tourney
at Brookline G. C.

Brookline, Mass., Sept. 12.—Practically the entire field of golfers, both foreign and domestic, had arrived today for the open American golf championship, which starts Tuesday on the links of the Country club. The practice has been almost continuous during the past few days and today more than 120 professionals and amateurs made tours of the links.

Nearly all the prominent foreign players have made many rounds of the course. Among the Americans who played today was Jack McDermott, the title holder. Vardon and Ray of England, who have played the course a dozen times, went to New Jersey today, but will return here Sunday for more practice.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

National League.

No games.
American League.
Philadelphia 7, Chicago 5.
Boston 15, Detroit 5.
Washington 6, Cleveland 1.
New York 10, St. Louis 3.

National League.
Pittsburgh-New York postponed on account of darkness.
Cincinnati-Boston; rain.
Only two National games scheduled.

American Association.
Columbus 6, Milwaukee 2.
Toledo 3, St. Paul 1.
Indianapolis 7, Kansas City 3.
Louisville 7, Minneapolis 4.

THAW HEARING
BEFORE GOVERNOR

ATTORNEYS FOR FUGITIVE PLAN
TO CARRY CASE TO SU-
PREME COURT.

TAKES PAPER TO COLEBROOK

Sheriff Goes to Wrong Place With
Requisition Signed by Act-
ing Governor Glynn.

Colebrook, N. H., Sept. 12.—The protracted court battle denied Harry K. Thaw in Canada by his sudden deportation on Wednesday promises to be waged in New Hampshire. His newly retained counsel hope to have a personal hearing before Governor Felker on the matter of extradition and should extradition be granted they will carry the matter to the state supreme court on a writ of habeas corpus. Three of those attorneys—N. E. Martin of Concord, Willard H. Olmstead of New York and Merrill L. Shurtleff of Colebrook, hurried to the capital today.

Sheriff Hornbeck of Dutchess county, New York, wherein is located the Matteawan asylum from which Thaw escaped, was en route here tonight with the requisition signed by Acting Governor Glynn. As the document must first be laid before Governor Felker, the New York lawyers were chagrined at the sheriff's mistake in heading for Colebrook. Upon his arrival he or some other representative of the state will be hurried to Concord, Wednesday next, according to Thaw's lawyers, they expect to have their hearing before Governor Felker. They estimate that three days will elapse before he can render a decision. If this is adverse they will apply at once for a writ of habeas corpus. Argument on this would likely be postponed for another week. This would mean days of weary waiting unless Wm. Travers Jerome can engineer some coup. He has in mind now a plan to seize the fugitive in case his deportation is ordered and take efficiency of the habeas corpus writ by concealing from the Thaw counsel the identity of the individual to whom Thaw would be given in charge. The writ would have to be directed against the prisoner's custodian at the time and if Jerome could work quickly enough a sufficient secrecy his plan might be successful.

Not Brought to Court.
In view of the decision of counsel to fight the case out at Concord, Thaw was not brought into court in Colebrook today. It is probable that on Monday he will be taken to the capital preparatory to the arguments for and against surrendering him to New York. The chief argument of his lawyers will be that New York seeks his extradition on a charge of conspiracy—a charge which they contend New York never purposes to try him on. They will contend that extradition in such circumstances is a subterfuge and that there are precedents to sustain them in this. Thaw left his hotel but once today, to go to the barber shop. The sheriff and ten special guards accompanied him. Rumors of kidnapping were not down. The citizens of Colebrook, Quebec, who was denounced yesterday by Jerome as the leader of the anti-Jerome movement which resulted in his arrest on a charge of gambling, remained in Colebrook today in spite of the ill feeling his presence had engendered. He wandered around in a motor car a good part of the day and this fact prevented Thaw from being taken for an airing this afternoon. The sheriff had agreed to accompany the prisoner on a ride and Thaw and his lawyers were about to climb in the machine when the report spread that two cars bearing Canadians were stationed a half mile or so out of town toward the Canadian frontier.

There has been so much feeling shown in the Thaw matter by the Canadians and so many of them have trailed after him here that Jerome shut his foot down on the motor trip at once. Through his detective aide, John Lanyon of New York, he impressed the sheriff with the inadvisability of such liberty for the prisoner and Thaw returned, disappointed, to his room.

To Argue in Canada.
On Monday next he was to have been produced before the king's bench in Montreal on a writ of habeas corpus. This was rudely upset by his ejection from the dominion under orders from the minister of justice, but the writ will come up for argument, nevertheless.

It was said today that some of Thaw's Canadian adherents were planning to spirit him away to Montreal if possible in the hope that the writ would be sustained. Failing this, so the story ran, proposed to put him aboard a yacht and eventually get him to Pennsylvania. Thaw's lawyers, one and all, denied knowledge of any such plans and repudiated any intention of resorting to "strong arm" work. Mr. Jerome, on his side, said he was just as anxious to avoid anything irregular in connection with New York state's endeavors. Thaw himself, it is understood, has refused two offers to aid him in another break for liberty. Apparently he got more than enough liberty of that kind in his wild ride on Wednesday and he places his hope in the courts. It was reported that he was again trying to dominate his lawyers. This they denied. Ex-Governor Wm. M. Stone of Pennsylvania came today personally to represent the Thaw family and with his counsel the lawyers here, unused to Thaw's ways and moods, seemed to breathe easier.

Fight to Concord.
Concord, N. H., Sept. 12.—Harry K. Thaw will make his fight for liberty in this city. Governor Felker will grant a hearing some day next week, probably Wednesday, on the demand of Acting Governor Glynn of New York that Thaw be extradited.

Thaw was heard tonight informally, the governor having as yet received no word from there officially. He plans to go to his home tomorrow morning for the week-end, but intimidated tonight that Sheriff Hornbeck

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

National League.
Boston at Cincinnati.
Brooklyn at Chicago.
New York at Pittsburgh.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.

American League.
Chicago at Washington.
St. Louis at Boston.
Detroit at New York.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.

of Dutchess county, New York, was likely to arrive here during the forenoon and that he would wait and receive the requisition warrant.

Three of Thaw's attorneys were already in the city tonight, and it was reported that Judge William M. Chase, who formerly was on the supreme bench of the state, would be retained as the leading New Hampshire lawyer in Thaw's interest. The three lawyers who are here, N. E. Martin of this city, W. H. Olmstead of New York and Merrill Shurtleff of Colebrook, spent the evening in conference among themselves. They made no effort to see the governor.

William H. Olmstead arrived today to take charge of the interests of Thaw so far as action at the state capital may be necessary.

Mr. Olmstead said that if Thaw is taken back to New York a tax payer's suit will be brought there for his deportation to Pennsylvania on the ground that in his case New York is being taxed for the support of an insane person whose legal residence is in another state.

Personal Mention.

Hadley Roberts of Albany is in the city.

Harry Lee Spencer is in Fort Worth for a few days.

Scott Hill is leaving today for school in Lebanon, Tenn.

Dr. W. O. Wilkes will be at home from Colorado today.

Judge G. B. Gerald is at home from Galveston and Beaumont.

Dr. Bishop f. Nashville is with relatives in the city for a few days.

Judge John C. West is due at home today. He has come by water from New York City.

F. Arthur Johnson reached home from Europe on Friday. He will hereafter make Waco his home.

Sam Wallace, traveling freight agent of the Frisco, spent the greater part of yesterday in Waco. He has headquarters in Dallas.

Bob Barker of the state at large, chief clerk of the house of representatives of the Texas legislature, is visiting in Waco.

D. G. Price, general passenger agent of the International and Great Northern, arrived here yesterday morning. He is on a trip through the southern country and departed on an afternoon train after a brief visit to the local agents of the company.

B. R. Hogue of the Dallas Times-Herald staff arrived in Waco yesterday afternoon from Dallas to join the party of autoists who are making the southern transcontinental tour. Mr. Hogue will accompany the party to Dallas, leaving here this morning.

Colonel C. S. Riche of the government engineering corps was in the city yesterday and made a trip of inspection to the lock and dam. Work is progressing there more rapidly than it has been before. The river wall of the lock has been finished. Operations were stopped yesterday by the highest rise which the river has had since spring.

Mike R. Fowell, assistant general passenger agent of the Texas Traction Co. and the Southern Traction Co., with headquarters at Dallas, is in the city looking after arrangements for the opening of the Waco-Dallas-Corpus Interurban. Mr. Fowell will remain here for two weeks or more. He said yesterday that the construction work is practically completed and that no delay in operating the line is anticipated. Inspections of the line all along the route, he said, show that not the least danger to the line is caused by the heavy rains of the week.

RAINS ALL OVER THE STATE

Downpours Are General—A Drop in
Temperature Noted All Over
Texas.

Hillsboro, Texas, Sept. 12.—Six and one-half inches of rain have fallen in Hillsboro from 6 o'clock yesterday morning until 6 p. m. today. For the first time in years what is known as the Katy lake is filling. The streets of the city are transformed into shallow rivers. All streams are swollen and damage to crops in the bottoms will amount to thousands of dollars. One wall of the Southern Traction Company's old power house fell last night, damaging the machinery and leaving the city in darkness half the night.

A decided drop in temperature began at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Washout Near Weatherford.

Weatherford, Sept. 12.—One thousand feet of track was destroyed yesterday on the Weatherford, Mineral Wells and Northwestern railroad by a washout between Graford and Oran.

Six-day Rain at Dallas.

Dallas, Sept. 12.—Today, for the sixth consecutive day, rain fell in Dallas county, the precipitation, which has been heavy, beginning Sunday. After a light set-up yesterday, a steady rain began at midnight and is still falling.

At Denton.

Denton, Sept. 12.—The heaviest rain in months fell here this morning and a total precipitation in excess of three inches is recorded, and the rain is still falling. It will cause all creeks to rise.

Cool at San Angelo.

San Angelo, Sept. 12.—A drop of more than twenty degrees in temperature occurred here in the last six hours. A cold rain has been falling.

Stamford Drop.

Stamford, Sept. 12.—The thermometer dropped about twenty degrees last night and was accompanied by a slow rain, which fell nearly all night and seems to be general. The precipitation at Stamford was half an inch, but it has been heavier at nearly every point throughout Central West Texas. The rainfall will be of much benefit to the feed crop. More rain is expected.

At Gainesville.

Gainesville, Sept. 12.—A slow, steady rain, which began about 9 o'clock last night, continued unabated at noon today. The ground is thoroughly soaked and creeks are running for the first time in many months. A top cotton crop and plenty of late feedstuff is assured. The rain is general over Cooke county.

At Vernon.

Vernon, Sept. 12.—The temperature here dropped twenty degrees this morning when a cold norther blew up. A slow rain is falling.

Hur-rah—they are warming-up—no I haven't sold this space to The Rotan Grocery Co. yet—but they didn't throw me out of their office last time I was there. They said they knew Tom Keene cigar was the best value on the market for 5c—that's the reason they made it their leader—but they were not going to be bull-dozed into buying anybody's space. Never mind—I'll make them tell the people yet—and in this very space—what a fine—mild—domestic cigar Tom Keene really is.

Adv. Mgr. News

P. S.—What do you know about that—but Monday is my lucky day—just watch this space on that date.

PATHFINDER IS HERE

FERGUSON ARRIVES IN WACO
AFTER DARK AFTER EXPE-
RIENCE IN MUD.

Is Getting Encouragement Along the
Route in Favor of Good Roads.
To Dallas Today.

Stuck for two hours within a few feet of the Falls-McLennan county line, Pathfinder Ferguson and his party arrived in Waco five hours behind scheduled time. Progressive citizens of Waco who are interested in the proposed All-Southern Transcontinental highway from Atlanta, Ga., to Los Angeles, Cal., had planned to meet the good roads expert and noted pathfinder some distance from the city and pilot him in, but failing to learn where he was, the party waited in Waco until Mr. Ferguson arrived.

Immediately after his arrival Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson and those in the pathfinder's party were given a luncheon by the Young Men's Business league, W. V. Crawford, president, and H. Hagedorn, secretary, being the hosts. At this informal affair the incidents of the trip were discussed and good roads were declared necessities to any progressive city or community. Mr. Ferguson was assured he had the best wishes of the people of Waco.

Mr. Ferguson said the worst and most strenuous day he had passed was Friday, while he was coming from Calvert to Waco. Bad roads were encountered almost all the way, and on account of being "stuck" shortly after leaving Martin and striking several tough places in McLennan county the pathfinder was overtaken by darkness while he was several miles from the city. Not having lights, several miles of the trip were made of necessity in the dark. Unfriendly darkness and the croaking of countless frogs made a cheerless welcome to Waco, but as soon as the live wires of this city learned the man who was placing Waco on the map for the benefit of those who want to travel across the continent through Dixie had arrived they gave him a cordial reception and welcome that made the unpleasant trip and arrival no more than passing memories.

The All-Southern Transcontinental automobile route from Atlanta, Ga., to Los Angeles, Cal., is the aim of the Houston Post, the Dallas Times-Herald, the New Orleans Item, the Montgomery Advertiser, the Birmingham News and the Atlanta Georgian.

The newspapers of the south behind the movement believe that a route like the one proposed would be more practicable and desirable than the routes already established through the northern states.

It is known the climatic conditions in the south are better all the year round than in the north, although in some parts of the country this fact has not been learned, and one of the objects of the tour now being made by Mr. Ferguson is to spread this knowledge. Mr. Ferguson was accompanied to Waco by Joe Webb of the Houston Post. He was met here by B. B. Hogue of the Dallas Times-Herald. They will leave this morning at 9 o'clock for Dallas, the start being from the New State House, the official A. A. A. hotel of Waco.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.
Buyers of lots in West End and Ginecchio additions can ascertain whether or not the lots have connecting privilege with The Highland Place Sewer by calling or phoning the A. W. Koch Company's office.

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COWELL IS NOW CONSIDERING BURGLARS AT FERRIS, TEXAS

Colquitt Tenders Appointment as
Prison Commissioner to
Senator.

Whitesboro, Texas, Sept. 12.—The offer of an appointment as state prison commissioner, tendered yesterday by Governor Colquitt to State Senator S. B. Cowell is still under advisement. Senator Cowell stated today, and the governor will not be apprised as to his decision until next week.

Senator Cowell said friends who had helped him in his race for the senate asked that he retain that position and he has business matters to look after which have prevented him from reaching a decision at once. He said he would confer with Governor Colquitt before making any announcement.

They had an examining trial today and were bound over to the grand jury.

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REAL ESTATE For SALE RENT TRADE REAL ESTATE

For Sale—Real Estate.

In looking over our listings this week we find that we have so many that look like good investments that it is a difficult matter to know exactly what to tell you about. Here are a few of our listings, if they do not appeal to you, call on us, for we have exactly what you are looking for.

A four-story brick located right in the heart of the wholesale district of the city for only \$57,500. This is an investment, which will bear your closest inspection.

An improved corner on railroad 85x165 feet at less than \$400 per front foot, any one looking for a buy that will produce a good revenue should not overlook this.

One of the best located business houses on Austin avenue at \$250 less than any other property on this street within three blocks of this location. This is a sure index as to whether this is a good investment. Let us tell you more about this.

One of the nicest brick homes in Waco, located on a beautiful corner lot, and the price is less than \$23,000.

A magnificent two-story home on a desirable corner 150x165 feet at less than it would cost to duplicate the home. Is this cheap enough for you?

A most desirable two-story house on 75-foot corner lot, Waco Vista, price \$8,500. Will consider a small farm in trade on this property.

An excellent home of six rooms, hard wood floor in parlor and dining room, nice light fixtures, artistic mantels, large closets in every room, located on south front terraced lot in Waco Vista; price \$4,750. A small cash payment and take the balance.

A fine location near Baylor, lot 70x220 feet, 8-room residence, and the price is only \$3,000; worth more.

Lot 85x165 feet, close in on South Fifth street, on which is a 7-room residence, and the price is cheap at \$2,250.

We have a very complete list of rooming houses, ranging in price from \$5,000 to \$20,000, that we can sell you on terms that will enable you to pay for the property from the revenue that it will produce.

A real bargain on North 15th street, lot 75x165 feet, 6-room residence, price \$4,750. "Nuf sed."

An ideal home on Gorman street for only \$5,000; \$1,000 cash, balance may be arranged to suit purchaser.

A first class investment in a little home on Sanger for only \$3,000; small cash payment, balance to suit.

A beautiful east front lot just across the street from Waco Vista. This is a bargain in the range, let us let you have it this week at \$1,000.

75x165 feet just one block from the new school on Farwell Heights this week \$1,000.

A fine south front corner lot on Sanger avenue for \$1,050.

On Morrow street, this is a bargain; south front lot surrounded by a group of new homes, which makes it a most attractive home, \$1,350.

One half block on Bell's Hill \$3,500, and a 6-room residence goes with this for good measure.

We have just listed a real bargain—a-in in a farm consisting of 1500 acres, situated within 100 miles of Waco, near a good railroad town—700 acres in cultivation, 12 acres of improvements, good water, 400 acres hog pasture, a fine Bermuda meadow. This land will produce a bale of cotton to the acre, also corn, peas, peanuts and other products in abundance, which can be used for fattening the swine on the range. You will readily realize the investment feature when we quote you this property at \$17.50 per acre.

We have a large list South and East Texas lands as well as properties situated in and around the city of Waco, counties. If you are in the market for good investments see us.

NATIONAL EXCHANGE INSURANCE & TRUST CO.
James N. LeMond,
Manager Real Estate Department,
Thirteenth floor American Bldg.
Phones: Southwestern 74; Independent 75.

BARGAIN—Trade house for lot as first payment: Four-room house for \$2,500; eighteen months old, in good condition; all modern conveniences; regular size lot, well elevated, with cement walks, fenced and has good barn; one and a half blocks off paved street and car line; in good neighborhood, close to public school. Will sell or trade for building lot not over \$1000 as part payment. R. R. Saunders, with Peyton Randle & Co., 195 South Fifth St., Phone 2342.

HAVE SOME excellent interurban property. This is beautiful rolling property on crest of hill; good soil; well plenty of water. You can get a small tract in a square with streets on all sides from fifty feet to four blocks of interurban station. Within walking distance of O'Connor's Lake. This is unquestionably a very desirable location. Can make home builders some exceptional offers. R. R. Saunders, with Peyton Randle & Co., Phones 2342.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Equity in lot in Farwell Heights addition; easy payment or will trade for second hand automobile. C. O. Arnold, New phone 201; old, 359.

DRYDEN-MOSELEY-COOPER-DODSON
Real Estate and Loans.
Lot 150x165 feet on Mary St., \$7,500.
Lot 150x175 feet, 224 and Ford, \$2,750.
Lot 75x165 feet, S. 5th st., with 9-room house, \$4,000.
Lot 52x165 feet, N. 4th st., 6 rooms, \$2,250.
Lot 50x165, Ethel and 23d sts., 6 rooms, \$2,700.
Lot 25x165 on 2d and Franklin, \$5,000.

DRYDEN-MOSELEY-COOPER-DODSON.
FOR SALE CHEAP—For cash equity in several fine pieces of rent property. See me to get your money's worth. J. B. Woody, 117 S. 5th St.

FOR SALE—New and modern 5 room bungalow, bath, large closets, tastefully decorated, two panel birch door throughout. Located in north part of city on a beautiful south front lot, with cement walks and curb, one block off car line. Price \$3,500, terms \$450 cash, balance like rent. Might take good vacant lot in exchange. The Central Texas Exchange Trust Co., T. H. Jackson, manager, R. E. D., old phone 235, new 1053.

FOR SALE—Two lots, one on a corner, in Huaco Heights, on crest of hill, with water and sewer in operation at original prices and terms of \$1 down and \$1 each week. R. R. Saunders, with Peyton Randle & Co., Phone 2342.

MR. COTTON MAN, how would you like to get a bale per acre? Some are getting a bale on Taft ranch, 1913 crop, 5000 acres just put on market. J. D. Cook, agent, Taft Land Company, Sinton, Tex.

FOR SALE—\$100 down, balance \$12.50 per month, nice 4 room new bungalow, price \$1,800. J. B. Woody, 117 S. 5th St.

FOR SALE—Near Baylor, my home, 6 large rooms, 2 large halls, bath and toilet, electric lights and sewer connection. C. H. Lewis, 418 1/2 Austin St., both phones 1145.

\$1 DOWN AND \$1 PER WEEK
Buys a lot in Roselawn addition, located on South Seventeenth street, close to car line, easy walking distance from Austin street; only a few lots left, prices \$70 to \$100; terms \$1 cash and \$1 per week, without interest. Callahan Development Co., 118 N. 5th St.

ONE DOLLAR will start you on the road to your own home. Pay \$1 down on a Roselawn lot; you can build a home at once, the rent you will save will soon pay for the home. Roselawn is close to a car line and within walking distance of your business. Prices only \$70 and up, terms \$1 cash and \$1 per week, no interest. Callahan Development Co., 118 N. 5th St.

\$5 DOWN AND \$5 PER WEEK
Without interest buys a lot in Princess Place, adjoining Highland Place, where lots sell from \$750 to \$1250, our prices \$150 to \$250, for a full sized city lot, in the best part of the city; last chance to get a west side lot at a low price, as there are but 30 lots left in Princess Place. \$5 cash will secure the lot. Callahan Development Co., 118 N. 5th St.

HERRING AVENUE LOT at a bargain; on car line, close to entrance to Cameron park, has sewer, gas, lights, etc. Natural charms beautiful location for a home. This is the cheapest lot within the first 15 blocks on Herring avenue. Part cash, terms to suit. Address P. O. Box 1275.

SPECIAL BARGAIN—Nine-room house, 90-foot front, barn and trees; \$3,250; terms. Old phone 294.

WE have sold three houses on North Sixth street past week and have one more that is going quick. This house is of stucco construction, is plastered inside, solid foundation; cool in summer and warm in winter. Has all the city conveniences and is offered for less than it could be built, for \$3,250, \$1,250 cash.

Five-room house North Waco, nearly new; two lots, has gas and sewer; south front, good neighborhood. This is a bargain at \$2,500; terms arranged. Five-room house between Fifth and Sixth on Garland, on corner; nice terms; right at car line. Of course it is a bargain at \$2,250. Terms.

For Exchange—House and two lots on Ruter street, corner facing south, one block of new \$45,000 school about to be completed. Car line likely to extend any time by the property. Will trade for rental property in South Waco. Craven Realty Co., 794 Amicable.

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Natural Gas Is Promised Franchise Agreed On

City Commission Has First Reading of Ordinance by Which Stough and Wilder Are to Operate—Provisions of the Grant.

Natural gas from the Mexia fields, forty miles away, will be in use in the city of Waco by July 1, 1914, or before, if the provisions of a franchise granted by the city commission at an adjourned meeting last night are fulfilled. The franchise was given to George W. Stough of Kansas City and A. E. Wilder of Mexia. Other parties are interested in the venture, but their names were not embodied in the franchise. The commission granted the franchise within less than an hour after the meeting was called. The matter had been deferred as a special item of business from the morning session. The greater part of the ordinance had been agreed upon between the contracting parties prior to the meeting, and only a few changes were made. The franchise was drawn by City Attorney John Maxwell and Mr. Stough, and was a revision of a draft presented at the morning meeting.

Under the city charter the franchise must be published once a week for four consecutive weeks before it can be finally passed. For that reason it was allowed to take its regular course, passing to its second reading. The first publication will be made today.

According to Mr. Stough, he and associates will be ready to begin work within thirty days. He leaves for Mexia Tuesday and on the trip will complete details at that end of the line. He estimates the line can be in Waco within five months, although the provisions of the franchise call for completion and gas service within eight months.

Mr. Stough stated that he had yet to obtain the right of way for the main from the Mexia fields, but that he expressed no concern from this source. The line, he said, would be far enough under the ground to be below plough level.

To Be 12-Inch Main.

The main from the fields to Waco will be twelve inches. This is two inches larger than that used to pipe gas into Dallas, that city getting its gas from a distance of 120 miles. Pipe for the mains and laterals will be shipped from Pittsburgh, Pa. In the construction of the ditch for the line traction engine ploughs will be used. Mr. Stough stated that the line would be easy to dig five miles of ditch per day. According to this rate of progress it would only take eight days to run the ditch into the city. The distance from Mexia oil fields to Waco is approximately forty miles. Mr. Stough stated that the Mexia field is at present the third best in the United States. The heat unit of the gas is 10.60, and the flow is said to be sufficient for the needs of a city many times the population of Waco.

One Change Made.

The city commission feels that in the granting of the franchise they have assured natural gas for Waco. They considered the franchise as fair to both parties. Only in one instance was a change of any great moment made in the original draft. This was to specify that in the event that the town of Mexia and the town of Waco are connected with the main, the rate charged for gas in Waco should be less than that charged in the town so connecting. Mr. Stough made an objection to this clause, stating that Waco was his objective point, being the largest city within easy access of the field. He said the gas fields needed Waco as a market as much as Waco needed the fields. He predicted that the population of the city would double within five years.

He also said that, according to present plans, the towns of Prairie Hill and Mart were the only ones that he intended supplying with gas.

Ordinance Granting Franchise.

The ordinance grants to George W. Stough and A. E. Wilder a franchise for thirty years for the construction of mains, laterals and service pipes, but wherever practicable all pipe shall be laid in alleys, rock macadam streets being used only where absolutely necessary, and then only by permission of the city commission; permanent streets to be used under no circumstances, except that it be necessary to cross some of the mains. It also provides that all streets, curbs and walks shall be replaced as originally found and Stough and Wilder are to hold the city harmless from any damage by reason of any acts done by Stough and Wilder.

Rates for Gas.

The ordinance further provides that grantees shall for a period of ten years from and after the first day of July, A. D. 1914, be entitled to charge for natural gas furnished to the consum-

ers within the city of Waco a maximum meter rate as follows:

For domestic use, that is, household purposes, 50 cents per one thousand cubic feet; provided that if the customer pays his bill for his domestic gas before the tenth of each month for gas consumed during the preceding month, he shall have a discount of ten per cent on this price.

For fuel, that is, for industrial purposes, the following maximum rates shall apply: (1) Industrial use is meant gas in quantities of 250,000 cubic feet per month or more, under steam and hot water boilers—except in residences—in factories, furnaces, mills or any similar industrial enterprise.

Schedule A—On term contracts.—Guaranteed amount of bill per month \$50. First 250,000 cubic feet per meter per month at 15 cents, all in excess of 250,000 cubic feet per meter per month at 10 cents.

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All costs of connecting with the gas mains of said grantees shall be paid as follows:

Pay for Service Pipes.

Grantees shall pay the costs of connection with the mains, pipes, valves and boxes from the points of connection with the mains to the property line of consumer. The consumer shall pay all costs of connections, pipes, etc., beginning at his property line and continuing throughout his premises; provided that in case of controversy between the grantees and any consumer as to the point of connection and direction and location of said line, said controversy shall be submitted to the city engineer of the city of Waco for settlement and his decision on the same shall be final. All meters shall be furnished and installed by grantees herein, subject to the ordinances of the city of Waco governing the inspection thereof.

Meter Deposit Is Allowed.

Provided that said grantees may require a cash deposit from each subscriber equivalent to the wholesale cash price of said meter, upon which said cash deposit said grantees shall pay 6 per cent per annum interest, payable annually, and further providing that said cash deposit shall be returned to said subscriber, together with all accrued interest thereon upon the discontinuance of service by said subscriber or by said grantees.

Said grantees herein, their heirs, successors and assigns, shall furnish, free of charge, such gas as may be necessary for fuel and lights for the use of the city of Waco, Texas, at its city hall, police station, fire stations and city jail, to be taken from the gas mains of the grantees at the expense of the city of Waco.

To Be Ready by Next July.

The privileges herein conferred are granted upon the consideration and condition that the grantees herein shall file with the board of commissioners of the city of Waco within thirty days after the passage of this ordinance their written acceptance of the terms thereof, together with their bond payable to the city of Waco, as is herein after specified, and conditioned; and upon the further consideration that said grantees, their heirs, successors and assigns, shall have their pipes, mains and all necessary connections made and constructed within the city of Waco, and connected with the pipe lines from the gas fields at Mexia, Tex., and shall have an abundant supply of natural gas for domestic and industrial uses turned into said pipes, mains, etc., ready to be delivered to the citizens of Waco on or before the first day of July, A. D. 1914. Provided, that gas from other fields that may be opened up or discovered may be turned into said pipe lines and mains with the consent of the board of commissioners of the city of Waco.

Any failure to comply with the full provisions of this ordinance on or before the time set out herein shall constitute a forfeiture of this franchise and all rights herein conferred and privileges granted shall cease and terminate and be absolutely void without notice to the grantees and without procedure of any sort in any court or tribunal. Provided that a reasonable time may be allowed for delays due to

causes beyond the control or foresight of said grantees.

Same Rates for Ten Years.

Upon the filing of the written acceptance provided for in Section 7, herein, this ordinance and said acceptance shall be deemed to constitute a valid and legal and binding contract between the city of Waco and the grantees herein, subject to the forfeitures set forth in Section 7, and the board of commissioners of said city of Waco shall not for a term herein stated, to-wit, ten years from and after the first day of July, A. D. 1914, by ordinance or otherwise, require said grantees to furnish said natural gas at a lower rate than that herein named; nor shall said grantees be permitted to charge a higher rate for said natural gas than that herein named, provided that nothing herein contained shall be in any manner construed as granting any exclusive rights, franchises or privileges, nor as preventing the board of commissioners of the city of Waco from granting to any other person or persons similar rights or privileges.

Must Give a Bond.

In consideration of the rights and privileges herein granted, the grantees herein shall file, together with their written acceptance of the terms of this franchise and ordinance, with the city of Waco, a bond in the sum of \$5000, payable to the city of Waco, with good and sufficient sureties, conditioned as follows: That they will properly pipe the city of Waco in such manner as to supply its citizens with an abundant supply of natural gas for domestic and industrial uses; that they will lay pipe lines from the gas fields at Mexia, Texas, and connect their pipes within the said city of Waco with said pipe lines; that they will furnish to the said city of Waco and its citizens an sufficient amount of natural gas from the said Mexia gas fields for domestic and industrial uses in the time and at the rates above specified. And conditioned further upon the faithful performance of all the conditions of this ordinance and franchise.

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Public Utilities People Are Hated by City Commission

Power and Light Admit Fort Worth Plant Is Furnishing Electric Energy for Waco 18 Hours a Day; Complain of Phones.

The street car, telephone and lighting section of the city came in for severe criticism at the hands of the city commission yesterday morning. The commission first directed its remarks to the interruptions in the service of the street car system, and after this question down, traced the trouble to the Texas Power and Light company, which company furnishes the power to operate the cars. Next the question of telephone service was taken up. The commission classed the service of the independent company as "bad," and that of the Southwestern as about "half as bad" as its competitor.

Ross Is Summoned.

Complaints from all over the city yesterday morning at the service given by the street car system, prompted the commission to summon Harvey B. Ross, local superintendent, before its meeting. Service for half an hour was interrupted while anxious business men and clerks watched in the rain for a car by which to reach their work.

Mr. Ross explained that his company had had considerable trouble during the morning, but that he had not been able to ascertain what was the matter. He said, however, the Texas Light and Power company was to blame, since his company purchased current from that concern. He said sometimes lightning enters a box and kills service for awhile, and he presumed that is what happened, and caused the suspension of service during the morning.

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Northbound.

No. 6 Flyer, leaves 4:40 a.m.
No. 8 Minute Train, leaves 5:45 a.m.
No. 10 Limited, leaves 6:00 p.m.
No. 2, Dal.-Pl. W. local, lvs. 8:10 a.m.
No. 4 Denon local, leaves 8:25 p.m.
via Dallas.

Southbound.

No. 5 Flyer, leaves 12:15 a.m.
No. 7 Minute Train, leaves 11:25 p.m.
No. 9 Limited, leaves 1:05 p.m.
No. 15 San Antonio local, lvs. 6:55 a.m.
up here, leaves 7:32 a.m.
No. 3 Local to San Antonio, 10:50 a.m.
No. 1 Local to Granger, lvs. 10:40 p.m.
Limited, Flyer and to the Minute Trains stop over at the larger stations.

Texas Central Railway.

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Westbound.

No. 23 leaves 8:20 a.m.
No. 21 leaves 10:50 p.m.
Eastbound.
No. 24 arrives 2:30 p.m.
No. 22 arrives 7:00 a.m.

Houston and Texas Central Railway.

All trains arrive and depart at the Union Station, corner of Fourth and Mary streets. T. J. Shields, city ticket agent, 112 South Fourth street.

No. 45 arrives Waco 6:55 a.m.
No. 72 leaves Waco 7:00 a.m.
No. 73 arrives Waco 10:00 a.m.
No. 62 leaves Waco 10:00 a.m.
No. 74 leaves Waco 1:00 p.m.
No. 43 arrives Waco 6:00 p.m.
No. 75 arrives Waco 5:20 p.m.

St. Louis Southwestern Railway.

All trains arrive and depart at the Union Station, corner of Fourth and Mary streets. J. C. Jones, city ticket agent, 111 South Fourth street.

No. 4 leaves 7:25 a.m.
No. 2 leaves 8:10 p.m.
No. 1 arrives 8:30 a.m.
No. 3 arrives 9:50 p.m.
No. 1 (to Gatesville, Hamilton and Comanche), leaves, 11:05 a.m.
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No. 4 (from Gatesville) ar., 9:00 a.m.

Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe.

All trains arrive and depart at the Union Station, corner South Fourth and Mary streets. J. J. Abernathy, agent, Provident Building.

No. 7 (for north) leaves, 7:00 a.m.
No. 8 (from south) arrives, 8:45 a.m.
No. 9 (for the south) leaves, 8:15 p.m.
No. 10 (from north) arrives, 10:00 p.m.

International and Great Northern Ry.

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No. 15 arrives 10:50 a.m.
No. 15 leaves 10:55 a.m.
No. 17 arrives 10:30 p.m.
No. 17 leaves 10:40 p.m.

Northbound.
No. 14 arrives 7:00 p.m.
No. 14 leaves 7:05 p.m.
No. 16 arrives 7:10 a.m.
No. 16 leaves 7:20 a.m.

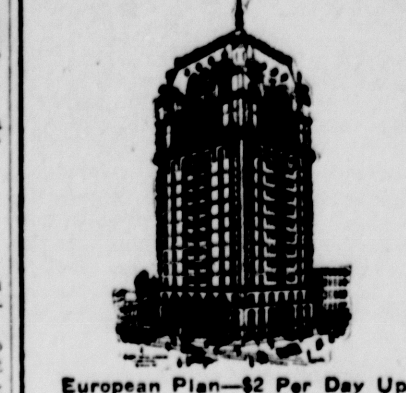
San Antonio and Aransas Pass Ry.

All trains arrive and depart at Union Station, corner Fourth and Mary streets. C. D. Bowman, ticket agent, Union Depot.

No. 51 leaves 6:05 a.m.
No. 53 leaves 6:05 p.m.
No. 52 arrives 10:15 p.m.
No. 54 arrives 10:45 a.m.

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WILL NOT CHANGE THE PARK

Commission Defers to the Protests of Property Owners of That Vicinity.

North Eighteenth street will be paved according to the contract first entered into with the Texas Bitulithic company. This means that no change will be made in Warburton park. The commission yesterday morning passed a resolution introduced by Commissioner J. W. Foster to leave the park as it now stands. This action followed protests on the part of citizens residing near the park against any contemplated change. (The commission had planned to change the route of the street where it runs along the side of the park, and provide a roadway on each side of the park. This change was advocated by the engineering department and the commission on the theory that the location of the streets at this point produces a dangerous condition. The objection to the proposed change, however, was so great that it was allowed to stand as at present. The mayor and the city

secretary were authorized to execute the contract with the Texas Bitulithic company for paving the street. An ordinance was also passed regulating standard construction of car tracks on that street.

The commission also approved a letter sent to the telephone and electric light companies by Commissioner Foster, instructing those companies to immediately remove all poles along the line of the proposed extension of North Eighteenth street. The street is to be extended from Colorado to Trice avenue. Along the proposed line of extension several companies have their telephone poles and it will be necessary to remove these before work of opening the street can begin.

Application of W. A. Wilkerson, administrator of the estate of W. R. Price deceased, for refund of \$124.78 on liquor license, ordered refunded.

Report of the city electrician for the month of August showing collections of \$191.75, approved.

Application to remodel building at 213 Austin street approved.

Bill of Flanigan & Pritchett for \$806.82 for improvement on North Twenty-second street, and of Texas Power & Light company, for \$2,099.71 for lights during August, approved and ordered paid.

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Bar Association Meets to Eulogize W. S. Baker

Many Tributes to His High Character—Men Who Have Known Him Many Years Were Spoken—To Prepare Resolutions

Occupying the floor of the Fifty-fourth district court room, which stands in the magnificent county building just above the site where stood the home to which Walter S. Baker went with his wife when she was a bride and he a bridegroom, men who have been his companions during his entire life work and men who have grown in the profession of law and advanced to maturity under his counsel, advice and assistance, stood side by side yesterday morning and paid high tribute to his personal worth.

For two hours the bar association of McLennan county held its memorial session. Usually these bar meetings are perfunctory, but on this occasion there was a larger attendance than has been known in many years, and there was more earnestness in the words that were spoken, more feeling in the personal tributes that were said and more real sorrow and sympathy than has been shown in such a meeting in this county. Attending the meeting were Judge Warwick H. Jenkins, who became intimate with Walter Baker the boy when they were fellow students at the old Waco university; Marshall Surratt, who knew him all his life; Robert H. Rogers, who knew him from the beginning of his legal career; others who knew him in the "middle past" as Sam Stratton expressed it, and still others who are yet youthful in years and youthful as lawyers who have had him as preceptor and teacher in personal conduct and in professional studies. While the tributes spoken were variously expressed and each speaker used his own language in which to give his thoughts, the universal sentiment was that he was a man of high character, of imposing personality, a great student, a friend to every one in distress, charitable, helpful, honest, true, loyal, eminent in his profession, a Christian in belief, a patriot, a statesman, and one who put principle above wealth or worldly gain. These tributes were not all by speakers with dry eyes, and the voice of the friend was not always firm, because the quivering lip and faltering tone showed that grief controlled to such an extent that emotion overcame the strength of the physical man.

Judge Davis Presided.

John W. Davis presided at the meeting of the bar, and Allan D. Sanford was the secretary. In opening the meeting Judge Davis said: "Gentlemen of the bar. The occasion which brings us together is an exceedingly sad one. One of our prominent brethren died on the western coast, practically among strangers. We all knew him well. He was eminent in his profession, a true friend—no man ever had a truer friend, and I personally can attest this. Many times when I have been in the midst of struggles and in no instance did he fail to respond, and his response was with apparent thankfulness that he could do for a friend. He was charitable, righteous, a good and great lawyer and a great man."

Committee on Resolutions.

Joe W. Taylor, don't deny the pleasure of this meeting, whether to take immediate action. I suppose the meeting will appoint a committee on resolutions to submit to an adjourned meeting of this bar. That has been the custom heretofore and I must say, to which the chair is to be added. His motion was adopted and the chair appointed Judge Warwick H. Jenkins, R. H. Rogers, J. E. Yantis, S. E. Stratton, H. C. Lindsey, Taylor, McCullough, H. C. Lindsey, with Judge Davis the chairman.

Judge Yantis said: "I think it appropriate to appoint a committee of three to select pallbearers on the part of the bar, the committee to be composed of the family and law partners before making the appointments."

The motion carried, and the chair appointed J. E. Yantis, Walton Taylor and J. N. Gallagher.

Judge Marshall Surratt. The meeting then resolved itself into a memorial session. Judge Marshall Surratt was the first speaker. He said:

"It might not be inappropriate for me to open the memorial session by saying that Walter Baker from his boyhood days. We have watched him as a student, have observed his character as a young lawyer and as an old lawyer. He showed a studiousness that was indeed rare even among law men. He was one of the most studious men I have ever known, a hard-working man in his profession. Along the lines he followed, my observation has been there was none better informed. The time has arrived in the legal profession when a lawyer to a large extent will specialize, and while Mr. Baker, in the early days of his life studied law as all of us did, and practiced all along the line, in the latter years he specialized and in all litigation had before the National district court during the last sixteen years. I don't think any lawyer ever appeared who had better prepared his case and was better prepared to aid the court in arriving at the law on the subject than Walter S. Baker. I say this not only as a tribute, but as a guide to young men, to show you what a young man can do in his profession and what he can accomplish not only as a lawyer but as a citizen. Some of us have not always agreed with Mr. Baker in his political views, but we had to admit always that he was strong and had a reserve force that was remarkable. I have observed him in speaking in campaigns that he would appear to be stumbling along through his subject, but as he progressed he would gain strength and momentum, and many were led thereby. When the strength of conviction came to him, he followed it no matter how unpopular. I remember in 1892, in that great campaign between Clark and Hogg, when the people of this county and this city were all upon the side for George Clark, that his convictions carried him to the standard of Hogg. He led the way. He followed his convictions. It illustrates the strong mind that dominated him in his actions. I never heard him accused by any one of being a time server. It was not his character, not his disposition. He was a useful man and the state has lost one to be mourned."

Judge T. L. McCullough. Judge T. L. McCullough said: "I feel that on no occasion when this bar has been assembled have we been more seriously affected. Those who have known Mr. Baker during the greater part of his life have been impressed from day to day and year to year with the greatness of the man."

He has never joined any company, large or small, but they have been impressed that he was a great party. All the men I have known I have never known one who was more charitable, and few knew the benefactions of which he was the author, and we are impressed that this man has quietly and in an unassuming way done these acts. When I came here a stranger I knew many members of the bar by reputation. I was a young man, and every young lawyer can attest the help that Mr. Baker has given him. When he appeared in court, one was impressed with the fact that he was too great a man to be small and little. In his career as a lawyer in this state there has been no blot. He lived in an atmosphere above little things. His friends, his city and his friends. He was an honored member of this bar, which has had a long record of honored men."

Judge W. H. Jenkins.

Judge W. H. Jenkins said: "I may not be inappropriate for me to say a word on this occasion, I suppose I knew him longer than any one here. I have been intimately acquainted with him for more than fifty years. When he was a school boy I was in college at the same time and my intimacy commencing then has continued until his death. I endorse all that Judge Surratt and Judge McCullough have said about him, and had I the language I would say more. Things in his life are written that it would be well for the young man to emulate. Mr. Baker was a Kentuckian. His idea of an example among men was Henry Clay. He studied the life and the words of the great pacificator, and wrote into his life the thoughts and habits of Clay. If you will study Mr. Baker you will find his character moulded on that. Judge Surratt spoke of the Hogg and Clark campaign. All of his friends were against him then, but with his face steadily to the fore he fought out one of the bitterest campaigns that has ever been known in Texas, and although the bitterest since the days of reconstruction, he never left a wound upon any democrat and he never cherished one made on him, and after it was all over he was as good as his word. He was a man of peace, but with his face steadily to the fore he fought out one of the bitterest campaigns that has ever been known in Texas, and although the bitterest since the days of reconstruction, he never left a wound upon any democrat and he never cherished one made on him, and after it was all over he was as good as his word. 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Markets by Telegraph

Cotton.

New York, Sept. 12.—The reactionary or more bearish sentiment noted in the cotton market during yesterday's trading was in evidence again early today, but a sharp break in prices was recovered and while the rally was not fully maintained, the close was steady net unchanged to 4 points lower.

Weak Liverpool cables, more favorable crop reports and bearish European trade advices seemed responsible for the early selling and after opening barely steady at a decline of 12 to 14 points, the market broke to a net loss of 20 to 22 points late in the morning. This doubtless reflected heavy liquidation and stop orders were uncovered on a scale down, while there was also considerable pressure from both local and southern sources, which was supposed to be for short account.

Offerings tapered off, however, around 12:07 for December or about \$1 per bale under the high price of last Tuesday, and the market steadied later on trade reports that too much rain was falling on open cotton in the south and rumors that contracts sold earlier in the day had been absorbed by trade interests. There were also reports of a better spot demand from the south and the market advanced almost as rapidly as it eased off until December cotton sold at 12.92 or 2 points net higher and 25 points above the low level of the morning. Realizing caused some irregularity in the late trading, but the market closed within 4 or 5 points of the best.

Advices from the southwest concerning the effects of the continued rain were more or less conflicting and the forecast for colder weather was considered an unfavorable feature, which may have contributed somewhat to the afternoon advance.

New Orleans.

New Orleans, Sept. 12.—In the early part of the session in the cotton market today bears had control and brought about lower prices on continued wet weather in Texas and Oklahoma and most encouraging crop reports from those two states. In the afternoon session, however, the market was strengthened by large mill takings for the week and prices went to a net advance for the day. Shorts covered in some cases around the close. Mill takings for the week were put by Hester at 181,000 bales, against 154,000 bales this week last year and 105,000 bales this week two years ago. Bears did not expect such a showing after so much complaint of the lack of spot demand.

The market opened steady at a decline of 9 to 14 points on poor cables and wet weather in the west. Private telegrams told of cotton plants blooming freely in many important sections and claimed that chances for a top crop were favorable. The decline was gradually widened to 14 to 19 points.

Around noon profit taking by shorts caused a reaction of about 10 points. In the afternoon a sharp spurt, following the reading of the weekly statistics, sent prices 6 to 8 points over yesterday's final figures. The close was barely steady at a net gain of 3 to 5 points.

SPOTS.

New Orleans.

New Orleans, Sept. 12.—Spot cotton steady, 1-16c off, middling 12-15-16c; sales, on the spot 617, to arrive 415. Ordinary 9 7-16
Good ordinary 10-14
Strict good ordinary 11-14
Low middling 12-14
Strict low middling 12-14
Middling 12-14
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Good middling 12-14
Strict good middling 12-14
Middling fair 12-14
Fair 12-14
Receipts 1764; stock 23,182.

Liverpool.

Liverpool, Sept. 12.—Cotton spot quiet and easier.
Middling fair 7.29
Good middling 7.71
Middling 7.29
Low middling 7.17
Good ordinary 6.51
Ordinary 6.17
Sales 8000, including 7200 American and 500 for speculation and export; receipts none.

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New York.

New York, Sept. 12.—Spot cotton was steady; said 400.
Middling uplands 13.15
Middling gulf 13.41

Memphis.

Memphis, Sept. 12.—Cotton spot was steady, unchanged; middling 12 1/2c.

Galveston.

Galveston, Sept. 12.—Spot cotton was steady, 1-16c down.
Low ordinary 8 1/2
Ordinary 9 1/2
Good ordinary 10 1/2
Low middling 12 1/2
Middling 13 1/2
Good middling 13 1/2
Middling fair 13 1/2
Sales, spots 1267, f. o. b. 500; receipts 15,784; stock 127,637.

Houston.

Houston, Sept. 12.—Spot cotton today closed steady and unchanged.
Low ordinary 8 5/8
Ordinary 9 3/4
Good ordinary 10 1/2
Low middling 12 1/2
Middling 13 1/2
Good middling 13 1/2
Middling fair 13 5/8
Sales 281; f. o. b. 5088; shipments 1408, stock 60,618.

FUTURES.

Liverpool.

Liverpool, Sept. 12.—Futures closed easy.
September 6.29 1/2
October 6.38 1/2
Oct.-Nov. 6.51
Nov.-Dec. 6.74 1/2
Jan.-Feb. 6.75 1/2
Feb.-March 6.73 1/2
March-April 6.77 1/2
April-May 6.77 1/2
May-June 6.75 1/2
June-July 6.76 1/2
July-Aug. 6.75
Aug.-Sept. 6.65

New Orleans.

New Orleans, Sept. 12.—Cotton futures closed barely steady at a net advance of 2 to 5 points.
Open. High. Low. Close.
Sept. 12.70 12.75
Oct. 12.64 12.81
Nov. 12.77 12.92
Dec. 12.81 12.97
Jan. 12.91 13.05
Mar. 12.91 13.05
May 12.99 13.13

New York.

New York, Sept. 12.—Cotton futures closed steady.
Open. High. Low. Close.
Sept. 12.80 12.85
Oct. 12.85 13.01
Nov. 12.88 12.98
Dec. 12.80 12.92
Jan. 12.87 12.97
Mar. 12.74 12.91
Apr. 12.73 12.78
May 12.81 12.96
June 12.84 12.94
July 12.84 12.95

Liverpool Weekly Statistics.

Liverpool, Sept. 12.—Weekly cotton statistics:
Imports, all kinds 42,000
American 17,000
Stock, all kinds 496,000
Total stock 518,000
American forwarded 12,000
Total exports 12,000

Hester's Weekly Report.

New Orleans, Sept. 12.—Secretary Hester's weekly report on cotton exchange statement issued before the close of business today, shows an increase in round figures in the movement into sight for the past seven days of 56,000 bales over the seven days ending September 12 last year, an increase over the same time before last of 24,000 bales and an increase over the same time in 1910 of 132,000 bales.

The amount brought into sight for the week ending this afternoon is stated at 286,228 bales, against 240,415 bales this week last year and 174,400 bales last year, 271,992 bales year before last and 154,215 bales for same time in 1910. This brings the total crop moved into sight for the twelve days of the new season to 454,551 bales, against 375,646 bales last year, 413,965 bales year before last and 247,850 bales same time in 1910.

The movement since September 1 shows receipts at all United States ports 327,044 bales, against 261,635 bales last year, 288,554 bales year before last and 174,400 bales same time in 1910; overland across Mississippi, Ohio and Potomac rivers to northern mills and Canada 459 bales, against 3,825 bales last year, 4,330 bales year before last and 3,093 bales same time in 1910; interior stocks in excess of September 145,274 bales, against 41,032 bales last year, 48,782 year before last and 22,574 bales same time in 1910; southern mill takings 80,000 bales, against 69,282 bales last year and 47,808 bales same time in 1910.

Foreign exports of cotton since September 1 have been 229,401, against 428,081 bales last year; the total takings of American mills north and south and Canada thus far for the season have been 125,952 bales against 105,672 bales. These include 43,430 bales for northern spinners, against 38,707 bales.

Since the close of the commercial year stocks at American ports and the twenty-nine leading southern interior centers have increased 101,498 bales, against an increase for the same period last season of 141,847 bales, and are now 78,645 bales smaller than at this date last year.

Including stocks left over at ports and interior towns from the last crop and the number of bales brought into sight thus far for the world's supply to date is 781,285 bales, against 740,333 bales for the same period last year.

Hester's Visible Supply Statement.
New Orleans, Sept. 12.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton, made up from special cable and telegraphic advices, compares the figures of this week with last week, last year and the year before.

It shows an increase for the week this close of 92,963 against an increase of 99,332 last year and an increase of 126,977 year before last.

The total visible is 2,146,235 against 2,053,270 last year, 2,585,540 last year and 1,697,944 year before last. Of this the total of American cotton is 1,192,235 against 1,197,270 last year, 1,448,554 last year and 1,011,944 year before last, and of all other kinds, including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 953,000 against 955,000 last year, 812,000 last year and 686,000 year before last.

The total world's visible supply of cotton as above shows an increase compared with last year of 112,319 and

Stocks.

New York, Sept. 12.—Union Pacific railroad performances, which have kept the stock market on edge for several days, outstripped its recent movements today by rising over 5 points. The price came within a shade of 160, showing a gain of 10 1/2 points since rumors of a cash distribution to stockholders gained currency, at which time the upturn began. Although the advance in this stock greatly exceeded the average movement, the market in general made a striking show of strength.

The day's advance was rendered more impressive by the fact that there was no bullish news on which to base it. The rise apparently was due to the inherent strength of the market in its present position, requiring nothing more than the impulse supplied by the buoyant rise in Union Pacific to start the whole lot upward. Although no authoritative information was available concerning rumors of a cash bonus on Union Pacific, these reports were talked of still more confidently on the street.

The Coppers, whose recent advance in sympathy with the strength of the metal market has been interrupted in the last few days, resumed their forward movement. Canadian Pacific, which benefited by glowing reports of a forecast of tomorrow's bank statement indicated that the week's movement of currency had not been important in results and that either a small gain or a small loss would be shown. This showed an improving tendency. Total sales, per value, 13,150,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Bradstreet's Weekly Review.

New York, Sept. 12.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

The events of the week spell progress along generally favorable lines. Chief among the features were the expansion in fall jobbing trade, breaking down in the corn belt too late to encourage the farmer in seeking further deterioration, and help to forage crops, pastures, stock water supplies and fall seeding, the ending, generally speaking, of the tariff uncertainty, the passage of that bill in the senate, the report of a record yield of wheat and of average yields of all other crops except corn; lower temperatures stimulating retail trade and enlarged movements of cotton and spring wheat, which tend to improve collections in sections affected, though room for further improvement is still ample. Enlargement of jobbing trade is reported from all leading markets. Business failures for the week were 255 against 234 in the like week of 1912.

An increase compared with year before last of 560,610.
Of the world's visible supply of cotton as above there is now 2,146,235 held in Great Britain and continental Europe 1,144,000 against 1,238,000 last year and 845,000 year before last; in India 459,000 against 45,900 last year and 442,000 year before last; in the United States 428,000 against 534,000 last year and 434,000 year before last.

COTTON MOVEMENT.

New York Figures Show Movement Into Sight of 292,566.

New York, Sept. 12.—The following statistics on the movement of cotton for the week ending September 12 were compiled by the New York Cotton Exchange.

Weekly Movement.
Port receipts 217,615
Overland to mills and Canada 2,805
Southern mill takings (Est.) 40,000
Gain of stock at interior towns 32,146

Brought into sight for week, 292,566

Port receipts 315,854
Overland to mills and Canada 4,818
Southern mill takings (Est.) 65,000
Stock at interior towns in excess of September 1 42,713

Brought into sight thus far for season 432,385

Cotton Receipts.

New York, Sept. 12.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1:
New Orleans 183,115
Mobile 11,867
Savannah 7,410
Charleston 14,994
Wilmington 4,184
Baltimore 1,224
New York 819
Boston 17
Newport News 82
San Francisco 501
Jacksonville 11,021
Texas City 4,580
Tacoma 825
Aransas 13,583

Total 324,044

Comparative Cotton Statement.

New York, Sept. 12.—For the week ending today.
Net receipts at all United States ports 214,178
Net receipts at all United States ports same week last year 193,525
Total receipts since Sept. 1 327,044
Total receipts to same date last year 306,504

Exports for same week 96,922
Exports for same week last year 70,088
Total exports since Sept. 1 219,766
Total exports same date last year 139,048

Stock at all United States ports 292,900
Stock at all United States ports same date last year 110,928
Stock at all interior towns 138,203
Stock at all interior towns same time last year 120,774

Stock at Liverpool 496,000
Stock at Liverpool same time last year 534,000

Spinners' Takings.

New Orleans, Sept. 12.—Secretary Hester gives the taking of American cotton by spinners throughout the world as follows: Grand numbers:

This week 181,000 this year against 154,000 last year, 103,000 year before last.
Total since September 1 this year 317,000 against 281,000 last year and 200,000 the year before.
Of this northern spinners and Canada took 43,000 bales this year against 38,000 last year, and 45,000 the year before; southern spinners 81,000 bales against 70,000 last year and 60,000 the year before, and foreign spinners 133,000 against 175,000 last year and 95,000 the year before.

Grain.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 12.—Unexpected strength at Liverpool and surprising development of export demand here today more than overcame the effect of heavy sales of wheat. The market closed nervous 1/2¢ above last night. Corn finished 1 1/4¢ @ 1/2¢, oats from a shade decline to 3/4¢ @ 1/2¢ above last night. Rains which put the soil in fine condition for fall plowing and much to do with the general selling that greeted an early upturn by the wheat market in response to bullish Liverpool cables. The ensuing decline reached well under last night's level, but for deferred futures and not for September.

Corn was easier because of selling pressure, but the market showed good power to recover. Rains that meant much to pastures met the principal argument. Short sellers showed no tenacity and there was active covering when the market appeared likely to sympathize with the upturn in wheat.

Oats reflected the action of other grain, easing off early and then rallying.

Provisions gave way under selling by western packers and on account of a decline at the yards. Offerings finally were absorbed by other buyers and new investors, so that in the end losses were partially recovered.

Wheat—Open. High. Low. Close.
Sept. 87 1/2 87 1/2
Oct. 91 1/2 90 1/2
Nov. 95 1/2 95 1/2

Corn—
Sept. 75 1/2 75 1/2
Oct. 72 1/2 71 1/2
Nov. 75 1/2 73 1/2

Oats—
Sept. 41 1/2 41 1/2
Oct. 44 1/2 44 1/2
Nov. 47 1/2 46 1/2

Barley—
Sept. 19 1/2 19 1/2
Oct. 20 1/2 19 1/2
Nov. 21 1/2 20 1/2

Cash grain: Wheat, No. 2 red 93 1/2¢, No. 2 hard 93 1/2¢, No. 2 northern 92 1/2¢, No. 2 spring 93 1/2¢, velvet chaff 92 1/2¢, durum 92 1/2¢, No. 2 yellow 76 1/2¢, No. 2 white 76 1/2¢, No. 2 4 1/2¢, No. 2 white 4 1/2¢, standard 4 1/2¢ @ 4 1/2¢.

Kansas City, Sept. 12.—Cash grain: Wheat, No. 2 hard 85 1/2¢, No. 2 red 85 1/2¢, No. 2 mixed 76 1/2¢, No. 2 white 76 1/2¢, Oats, No. 2 white 42 1/2¢, No. 2 mixed 42 1/2¢.

St. Louis, Sept. 12.—Cash grain: Wheat, No. 2 red 91 1/2¢, No. 2 hard 91 1/2¢, No. 2 white 91 1/2¢, No. 2 mixed 76 1/2¢, Oats, No. 2 white 42 1/2¢, No. 2 mixed 42 1/2¢.

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RECORDS OF RAIN IN OTHER YEARS

DR. BLOCK COMPARES PRESENT
MONTH WITH THAT OF
HERETOFORE.

STORM SEWER IS DAMAGED

Curbing on Eighteenth Street Falls in.
Railroads Suffer Little—No
Telephone Trouble.

While the heavy rains of the week were unusual for this season of the year in the velocity of the downpour and in the length of time the steady fall of water continued, particularly yesterday, there was nothing extraordinary in the volume of rainfall when comparison is made with the September records of recent years.

So said Dr. I. Block, meteorological expert and volunteer weather observer, yesterday afternoon, after consulting statistics covering a period of more than a quarter of a century.

"The heaviest fall of rain in Waco of which there is any record," said Dr. Block, "occurred during the month of September in 1896. The rainfall for that month measured 4.48 inches, which was something really phenomenal for this section of the United States."

"The total rainfall in this city to the noon hour today, Friday, for the month of September is 3.42, the greater volume falling Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Now let us see how that compares with last September. The records show that Waco was saturated by two good rains in September, 1912. The first was on September 14, when the fall measured .64, and the next on September 19, when it fell forty-sixths of an inch, or a record of 1.52."

"The statistics in the possession of the volunteer weather observer bearing upon weather conditions in Waco date back to 1867. These records show an average rainfall for the month of September in the period of forty-six years they cover of 2.59."

Storm Sewer Damaged.
The storm sewer which is being laid along Eighteenth street was damaged to some extent by the rain yesterday and will require one or two days' work to put it back into its previous condition, due to the sides caving in. A considerable portion of the curb along Eighteenth, and some on Columbus, was washed into the ditch. City Engineer George Byars said that there was a good deal of minor damage done to the streets by washing during the rain, but nothing of consequence except the Eighteenth street sewer. Along the line of the sewer the light and power and telephone poles were put in bad condition by reason of the banks caving away, and the respective companies were notified to give them attention.

Railroads Have No Damage.
Considering the heavy volume of rain, the duration of steady rainfall and its velocity, the damage done along the lines of the railroads is surprisingly slight, according to the reports that have been received at the local offices. On none of the lines was serious loss suffered, so far as the reports of local agents indicate. At the Katy offices yesterday afternoon it was stated that the reports in hand show that the damage on that system was confined to washouts of a trivial nature at bridges at several points in the western country. In each instance the damage was to an earth fill around a bridge of recent construction. These trivial washouts have been, or are now being, refilled at small cost. That there was no washout of consequence is indicated by the reports showing that there was no interference with either passenger or freight traffic during the downpour nor since.

No damage by rainstorm at any point along the Cotton Belt lines has been reported to the local offices of that system. Traffic has moved with normal regularity throughout the storm period.

Swollen creeks and inundated country roads caused water to flow over the tracks of the International and Great Northern at several points above and contiguous to Dallas, but the overflow was not sufficient to interfere with the movements of trains and the reports received here show that traffic swung along without interruption. "No report of damage at any point along our lines has been received," was the statement elicited by inquiry at the offices of the Houston and Texas Central. It was added that trains moved on schedule time during the last three days.

Rain at Bosqueville.
John Gorham of Bosqueville yesterday reported that up to 2 o'clock the rainfall had been 4 1/2 inches. It is the heaviest rainfall in that section in five years. It was a slow rain and went into the ground, doing a great deal of good. It is impossible yet to tell the effect on cotton. Just what the insects will do is not known and the first frost will have an effect.

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LOST—Bird dog, seven months old; white and liver spotted. Return to 520 Austin or phone No. 9 old phone for reward.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, close in; 511 N. Fourth St.

DOES WACO WANT TO BUILD CITY HALL?

Morning News Will Publish Expressions From All
Citizens Who Will Give Their Views on the
Subject—Will Require Bond Issue.

There is a discussion in the city commission whether the city hall is to be remodeled or a bond issue to provide a fund to build a new city hall. The bond issue will have to be decided by the people. In order to get the sentiment of the people the Morning News will print from day to day the views of all citizens who will give an expression on the subject. The discussion of this subject is open to every citizen who cares to give his views. No expression will be published except that it is given with the full name of the citizen for publication. The Morning News does not publish anonymous communications of any character, nor does the Morning News publish communications signed "Citizen," "Pro Bono Publico," "Democrat," "Old Subscriber" or "Constant Reader."

Dr. N. A. Olive said: "In private life, the man who limits his demands and lives well within his means is the man who can meet emergencies as they arise. It is no less the case with a municipality. To many of our people the present tax rate is burdensome. A lower tax rate would be a greater boon to Waco than a new city hall. More and better streets are needed. Many people are without sewer connections. Our public schools are crowded to the limit, and more room will be necessary in another year. A river driveway to Cameron park would be a thing of beauty and one of our greatest attractions. I oppose a city hall because I think we need many other things worse. The present building, with the expenditure of a few thousand dollars, will do all right for several years. It would, in my opinion, be an extravagance to build a city hall now that would probably fail to meet the demands of the city in ten or fifteen years."

Dr. W. B. Morrison. Dr. W. B. Morrison said that he considered the city hall matter, and everything else in the way of civic improvements, subordinate to the sewerage system, which Waco must immediately begin planning for. "Within three years at the outside," said Dr. Morrison, "according to the government requirement, we must have a sewerage system that will care for our waste without dumping it into the river. Even if it were not a government requirement this would be necessary before we could use the filtered river water in our mains, as is now proposed. We will have to build the sewerage system. It will take two years to build it, and plans ought to be under way now. It will cost approximately \$250,000. Until that item is cared for we ought not to take on any other burdens."

Crate Dalton said he wanted everything that would keep Waco in the line of progress; but he thought it unwise to build a new city hall at the present time. "The first thing that should hold us back now," said Mr. Dalton, "is the fact that the center of Waco's business is not definitely located. It may be that the present direction of growth will change. Possibly the westward development of the town has reached its limit, and is about to veer to the south. Until the center of business is fixed we ought not to put up the kind of building that is proposed for within a few years it might be left in a section comparatively isolated. I want a city hall that will be a credit to Waco for many years; but I want it in a suitable location, which I do not think we can pick for some time yet. As a second consideration, I would like Waco people to take notice of what has happened to Oklahoma City as a result of over-taxation and over-issuing of bonds. Property in that city is now so heavily burdened with paying assessments, in addition to the regular tax rates, that investors are unwilling to put their money there. From a standpoint of civic attractiveness there is not a more beautiful city in the United States; but its business has been ruined by over-taxation."

William H. Parsons. William H. Parsons said his reason for supporting the cause of a new city hall was that Waco ought to have an appropriate edifice to set off the view at the end of Austin street. "The impression of Waco as a visitor receives," said Mr. Parsons, "is often marred by the unimposing appearance of the present building at the end of the main street."

Dr. B. J. French. "Inasmuch as the question of a new city hall is engaging the attention of the tax paying citizens of this city, I feel that as a citizen and tax payer of this community I would not be ought of place to express my views on this subject at this time, and enter my protest against a bond issue for such purpose. If as it appears that the water commission has not the room adequate for their purpose then add to the present building at the cost of a few thousand dollars, but to saddle the taxpayers with an added burden in the shape of a new public building to point out to visitors to our city should not be thought of at this time, when streets are to be opened, and others to be paved, sewer connection in localities that are just now without this necessity in a growing city, additional school facilities for our children so as not to overcrowd the school rooms for the want of accommodation for the pupils as was the case during the last session, where a teacher in many instances had about twice the number under her supervision than she should have had to do justice to both teacher and pupil; those and many others will be more attractive to the visitor to our city than a new city hall. If the present city hall at the present location has outlived its usefulness then how long would it be before another location selected at this time would be inappropriate for a city hall? It occurs to me that we are a little too previous for such an undertaking, and it would be the wisest course to delay this matter for about ten or fifteen years. Then the citizens and tax payers can select a suitable site that would be in keeping with the city that has grown to its wants for such

purpose. It is true we are building here a city, and an ideal city is one that gives pleasure and comfort to its citizens in the way of parks, paved and well kept streets, the best of school facilities, good roads in and out of the city, an adequate police and fire protection, playgrounds for the children and public baths. All these rather first, and let a new city hall be an after consideration."

E. M. Ainsworth. E. M. Ainsworth said: "While I am always in favor of public improvements which are needed by the people, even though bonds must be issued to provide such improvements, yet this city hall question is one which has several sides to it. Just at this time Waco is hardly large enough and is scarcely in a position to provide such a city hall as will meet the needs of the Greater Waco of the future, and in erecting such buildings the future should always be provided for by exercising proper foresight. Another thing, if a city hall is built it should be placed where it will be easiest of access not only to the Waco of today, but the Waco of the future, and in my humble judgment the present location is much too far east; the drift of Waco will be inevitably and swiftly westward, and this should be taken into the account as one of the most potential questions in settling the location. The location should be selected just as soon as the people are satisfied that the city is going to center at a given point for the years to come, and the site should be purchased just as soon as opinion crystallizes in this particular, in order that the right place may be secured and that the price be as reasonable as possible. Pending a settlement of the location question and the purchase of a site just as little money as possible should be spent on the present city hall, for most certainly it will not serve Waco very much longer. If a new city hall is erected it should be in keeping with the admittedly great future of Waco, and the site should be provided when the conditions above recited shall have been realized—in other words when the people crystallize their views as to the point where the business center will be in the future. In closing I wish to say that in the opinion of many the crying need of Waco at this time is the opening of a number of streets, the blocking of which is working untold inconvenience, loss of time and consequent loss of money."

Judge Marshall Surratt. Judge Marshall Surratt said he was not in favor of building a new city hall until one could be erected that would cost several hundred thousand dollars, and be a credit to Waco twenty-five years from now. "The old city hall as now kept, is a bad job," said Judge Surratt, "but I think it could be cleaned out and renovated so as to serve the city for a long time yet. The city requires me to keep my yard clean. Why shouldn't the city keep its house clean?"

John L. Brockenbrough, Jr., said he was in favor of keeping taxes as low as possible, and that he was opposed to putting a heavy additional expense on the city at this time.

H. K. Brown said he favored no special method of procedure, but he was not satisfied with the city hall in its present condition. T. E. Haney said that the present city hall building was a dirty hole that would be a discredit to any town in the country.

Favors Better Streets.
J. R. Woodward said that he would rather see the city now spend its money on improving the streets. "Visitors see our streets more than they do our city hall," said Mr. Woodward. "I am proud of the work that is being done on the streets, and I think it ought to still be kept taking precedence over less important affairs."

John F. Rowe said that he thought a new city hall could be built without raising taxes. "There is no doubt," said Mr. Rowe, "that we need a new city hall, but I think taxes are at present so high that investors are being frightened away from us. If we can build a new hall without increasing taxes, I am in favor of it; and I think this can be done."

C. L. McDonald said he saw no need of a new building. He thought the old one was good enough.

John Horsfall said he was in favor of remodeling the old building if it could be done at a reasonable expense.

W. E. Seifer said he was for anything that would improve the town, even if it did cost more.

J. M. Turner said he was opposed to bonding the city. "It is a bad time," said Mr. Turner, "to go into it. I think we can get along very well with remodeling the old one."

M. E. Compton said he was in favor of progress, no matter if it did raise the taxes.

P. J. Sanger said he thought we could wait awhile for a new building and use the old one for some time if it was properly repaired.

A. Tobias said the city had enough expenses already.

P. W. Higgins expressed himself as in favor of overhauling the old building.

Case to Walnut.
Austin, Sept. 12.—Assistant Attorney General Luther Nickels today announced that testimony in the state's suit against the Katy railway would be taken at Walnut Springs, on the Texas Central, beginning September 26. The date has not been set for the taking of testimony at Wichita Falls.

Wreck at Fort Smith.
Fort Smith, Ark., Sept. 12.—A Midland Valley oil train was wrecked this afternoon at Kanima, Okla., 75 miles west of here. The engineer was killed and the fireman and brakeman are reported to have been fatally injured. The wreck immediately caught fire.

The dead engineer is John Bell of Muskogee, Okla. Six cars of oil went into the ditch with the engine and tender.

Recent fatal accidents to aviators in England traced to deterioration of their machines have led to a demand for a periodical and thorough examination of all aeroplanes.



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IN THE LOCAL COURTS

BELL PENCE IS GIVEN THREE DAYS IN JAIL AND FINE FOR CONTEMPT.

Very Little Doing in Various Courts. Administrator for Estate of C. R. Phillips is Named.

Bell Pence, adjudged in contempt of court by reason of the alleged violation of an injunction issued in the Nineteenth district court restraining her from selling or giving away liquors in her house on North Second street, was sentenced to serve three days in jail and pay a fine of \$25 yesterday. Judge Tom L. McCullough, who granted the injunction, passed sentence. The woman was adjudged in contempt several days ago, but sentence was withheld.

The contempt proceedings followed her conviction in county court ten days ago of giving away liquors in a disorderly house. The injunction was obtained by County Attorney John McNamara some two months ago. She began serving her term yesterday.

Little Doing in Courts.
The rain of yesterday and the night before resulted in little business being transacted in the courts. The case of S. T. Shropshire vs. Texas Central et al is still on trial in the Nineteenth district court. Only one case was tried in county court. Justice J. J. Padgett had no cases of any kind and very little

The Renewal of Strain.
Vacation is over. Again the school bells ring at morning and at noon; again with tens of thousands the hardest kind of work has begun, the renewal of which is a mental and physical strain to all except the most rugged. The little girl that a few days ago had roses in her cheeks, and the little boy whose lips were then so red you would have insisted that they had been "kissed by strawberries," have already lost something of the appearance of health. Now is a time when many children should be given a tonic, which may avert much serious trouble, and we know of no other so highly to be recommended as Hood's Sarsaparilla, which strengthens the nerves, perfects digestion and assimilation, and aids mental development by building up the whole system.

business was done in Justice H. M. Richey's court.

NINETEENTH DISTRICT COURT.
Tom L. McCullough, Judge.
R. V. McCain, Clerk.

Suit of S. T. Shropshire vs. Texas Central Railroad company et al; on trial.

COUNTY COURT.
George N. Denton, Judge.
J. W. Baker, Clerk.

Verdict in favor of the plaintiff in the sum of \$400 returned in the suit of John Campbell vs. C. H. Gilbert. Suit was brought for \$900 for alleged personal injuries resulting from an automobile driven by Gilbert striking Campbell. The accident occurred at Seventh and Austin streets.

PROBATE COURT.
George N. Denton, Judge.
J. W. Baker, Clerk.

In the estate of Clarence R. Phillips, deceased, J. E. Brown was appointed temporary administrator. The estate of the deceased is estimated at \$5000. The administrator furnished bond in the sum of \$10,000. Phillips died suddenly Thursday. Because of an ungathered crop owned by Phillips there was need for the immediate appointment of an administrator.

JUSTICE COURTS.
Harvey M. Richey, Judge.
Joshua Sessions, vagrancy, \$14.55.

SUITS FILED.
Nineteenth District Court.
Sanger Bros. vs. M. H. Hamlin, debt.

Justice Richey's Court.
T. J. Hooten vs. Southern Traction company, damages.

Peoples Fire Insurance company vs. C. L. Boren, Lorena, note.

Mrs. Emma W. Randle vs. Southwest Film Co., rent.

Jennie Tallaferrro vs. J. T. Hobbs, forcible detainer.

Marriage Licenses.
Will Lee Masset and Effie Taylor.
W. W. McNatt and Miss Gertie Halford.

Tom Steel and Miss Bonnie Chapman.
L. H. Reese and Miss Eda Houschild.

M. C. Peak and Miss Malissa Knowles.

Complaints to Filed.
A complaint was filed in the county court yesterday against both C. S. Sharpe and Rob Sharpe. The complaints charge aggravated assault and battery. It is alleged both used knives in a fight.

COUNTY HAS A LOSS

HEAVY RAIN CAUSED DAMAGE TO ROADS, BRIDGES AND CULVERTS.

County Road Superintendent Windrow Will Put Men Out at Once to Repair.

Roads, culverts and bridges in various parts of the county were damaged, in some places badly, by the rains of Thursday, Thursday night and Friday.

The heaviest damage was suffered in the northeast part of the county. Reports from West, Ghoslen and Ross received by County Road Superintendent R. J. Windrow yesterday were to the effect that many culverts had been washed out in that section and roads had been badly washed. No large bridges were reported damaged. Smaller structures, however, suffered.

The rain in that part of the county took on the nature of a storm. Mr. Windrow was in communication with various parties living around those towns. The report was that the rain was the heaviest in years. S. A. Sulak, who resides in the storm center, reported that the rain was the heaviest in twenty years.

Mr. Windrow will get a force of men out as soon as the roads will permit to go over the damage, preparatory to repairing the culverts and roads.

Just outside of the city limits north of East Waco the water banked up into a lake and presented a problem to both the city and the county. Mr. Windrow and also City Commissioner J. W. Foster visited the "lake" during yesterday afternoon. Their visit resulted in the decision that a storm sewer was needed to care for drainage at this point. Mr. Windrow will probably take the matter up with the county commission, looking to the construction of a sewer, the cost to be participated in by the city. Mr. Foster is in favor of such a sewer. If put in the sewer would begin just outside of the city limits, extending down by the Houston and Texas Central tracks and running into the river. It is estimated that a six-foot sewer would be necessary. The matter will be investigated as to cost and the need.

Should the sewer be constructed laterals will be connected with it, draining the entire of East Waco.

At Twenty-Third and Austin avenue, just on the city line, there was a deep washout as a result of the rain.

WILL HAVE A TENNIS MEETING

Huaco Club Members Are to Discuss the Future of the Game.

The Huaco club will hold a meeting Saturday night at 8:30 o'clock to plan for improvements on the tennis courts. Interest has lagged in tennis among the Huaco members, owing to the poor condition of the courts. The club owns two courts, well located and provided with good back-stops, but the soil placed on them was of a poor quality and has rendered them almost unfit for playing. It is hoped that enough interest will be manifested at the meeting Saturday to insure a rebuilding of the courts, and a rejuvenation of the sport. A tennis trophy is offered by Will Abel for the club championship in tennis, but it has never been played for. L. A. McCullough is chairman of the committee now endeavoring to have the courts repaired.

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